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TOWN OF

SANDWICH







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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF SANDWICH



Year Ending December 31, 1972

KENDALL PRINTING, INC.  
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## *In Memoriam*

**JAMES W. FREEMAN**

1900 — 1972

Served the Town of Sandwich

Board of Selectmen

Board of Assessors

Board of Public Welfare

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**RUSSELL W. CARROL**

1896 — 1972

Served the Town of Sandwich

Appeal Board

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**CHARLES C. DALTON**

1907 — 1972

Served the Town of Sandwich

Civil Defense Director

Finance Committee

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**HAZEL BLAKE FRENCH**

1891 — 1972

Served the Town of Sandwich

Trustee of Sandwich Public Library

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**WILLIAM A. WINSOR**

1879 — 1972

Served the Town of Sandwich

Wire Inspector

Police Officer

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**ROBERT A. KOEHLER**

1886 — 1972

Served the Town of Sandwich

Member Board of Health

## SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

**Listed below are the scheduled meetings  
of Town Organizations**

Appeal Board	Town Hall
2nd and 4th Tuesday — (If Hearing scheduled)	
Board of Health	7:30 P.M. — Town Hall
1st Tuesday each Month	
Board of Selectmen	10 A.M. — Town Hall
Each Monday	
Conservation Commission	7:30 P.M. — Town Hall
4th Monday each Month	
Fire Engineers	7:30 P.M. — Fire Station
2nd Monday each Month	
Historical District Commission	8:00 P.M. — Town Hall
2nd Monday each Month	
Planning Board	8:00 P.M. — Town Hall
1st and 3rd Wednesday each Month	
School Committee	Conf. Room at H. T. Wing School
4th Wednesday each Month	

When planning a special meeting, the above schedule should be consulted to avoid confusion.



# Town Officers

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Term Expires

## SELECTMEN

Carl H. Hiler, Chairman	1973
John Louis Roberti	1974
Carlo A. Pola	1975

## ASSESSORS

Carl H. Hiler	1973
John Louis Roberti, Chairman	1974
Carlo A. Pola	1975

## TOWN CLERK, TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR

Channing E. Hoxie	1974
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## HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Clarence R. VanBuskirk	1973
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## TREE WARDEN

William J. Ellis	1973
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## MODERATOR

William A. Bullock	1973
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## CONSTABLES

John L. Weaver	1973
George E. Elvander	1974
Clyde S. Gill	1975

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Howard P. Crowell	1973
Joan B. Morrow, Vice-Chairman	1973
Roland F. DeConto, Chairman	1974
Frank E. Colombo, Jr., Secretary	1974
Roberta Leydon	1975
Stanley A. Torrey	1975

## BOARD OF HEALTH

Charles Wennerstrom, Vice Chairman	1973
Robert H. Ellis, Chairman	1974
Allen E. Peterson	1975

Term Expires

**TRUSTEES OF THE SANDWICH LIBRARY**

Katherine Bourne	1973
Camille Torrey	1973
Robert M. Felton	1973
Howard J. Carlson	1974
Clara N. Field	1974
Russell A. Scully	1974
Burton J. Jones	1975
Beryl A. O'Connell	1975
William A. Warren	1975

**TRUSTEES OF WESTON MEMORIAL FUND**

David C. Hopkins	1973
Howard J. Carlson, Secretary and Treasurer	1974
John H. Field	1975

**TRUSTEES CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING**

Clarence R. VanBuskirk, Chairman	1973
Carl E. Bazzinotti	1973
Allen R. Carpenter	1974
Henry Buckley	1974
Charles Wennerstrom	1975
Carl H. Hiler, Chairman Board of Selectmen	

**PLANNING BOARD**

Edward W. Osgood, Jr.	1973
Miriam R. Wilharm	1974
Chester C. Cross	1975
John A. Coe	1976
William G. Bryden, Chairman	1977

**SANDWICH HOUSING AUTHORITY**

Allen R. Carpenter, Assistant Treasurer	1973
Lester E. Geary, Secretary (State Appointment)	1973
Elizabeth L. Currier, Treasurer	1975
Edgar E. Caron, Chairman	1976
Norman E. Welch, Vice Chairman	1977

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEMBER**

Edgar E. Caron	1973
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**TOWN ACCOUNTANT**

Nancy J. Laffoon	1973
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Term Expires

**TOWN COUNSEL**

Philip M. Boudreau 1973

**TOWN ENGINEER**

William C. Taylor 1973

**CLERK FOR ASSESSORS**

Barbara L. Kiley 1973

**VETERANS' AGENT, DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES AND VETERANS' BURIAL AGENT**

Charles H. Cross 1973

**VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER**

Elizabeth L. Currier 1973

**PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE**

Frances M. Silva, R.N. 1973

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Robert D. Whearty, Jr., Chief	James R. Spofford, Patrolman
Clyde S. Gill, Sergeant	Haskell E. Hawkins, Patrolman
George E. Elvander, Sergeant	Roger T. Davis, Patrolman
E. Bartlett McKay, Sergeant	Thomas C. Martin, Patrolman
James R. Swift, Patrolman	Ronald W. Nurse, Patrolman
Richard A. Kestenbaum, Patrolman	Michael R. Walker, Patrol'n
James Stewart, Jr., Patrolman	

**PERMANENT-INTERMITTENT PATROLMEN**

Arthur L. Fairbanks	Richard E. Canning, Sr.
Lester Geary	Chester S. Rich

**INTERMITTENT PATROLMEN**

George P. Russell	David P. Canning
Richard L. Anderson	William P. McBride, Jr.
Albert E. Gooding, Jr.	Arthur Souza
John A. McArdle	Edward J. O'Donoghue
Nicholas S. Vardack	Bruce A. Jillson
	Robert N. Willhauck

**POLICE LIMITED SERVICE**

Henry Buckley	William E. Duncan
George Fernandez	John A. Coe
Taisto Ranta	Howard P. Nickerson
Edward J. Duarte	Floyd J. Folmsbee



	Term Expires
Theodore S. Briones	Daniel F. Sullivan
Cornelius W. Sullivan	Frederick Hodges
	Francis G. Silva

### **WIRE INSPECTOR**

Edgar E. Caron	1973
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### **BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Lester E. Geary	1973
Howard B. Burke, Deputy	1973

### **PLUMBING INSPECTOR**

(Appointed by Board of Health)

Edward F. Montague, Jr.	1973
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### **GAS INSPECTOR**

Herbert A. Hamlen	1973
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### **SHELLFISH CONSTABLE**

Eugene H. Morrow	1973
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### **PARK DEPARTMENT**

Raymond L. Thayer, Foreman	1973
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### **FIRE ENGINEERS**

W. Gordon Swan, Chief Engineer

Thomas A. Cosgrove, Clerk	Eugene H. Morrow
William Troyanos	William W. Ward

### **FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Ferdinand L. Alvezi, Chief	1973
Richard Atwood, Deputy Chief	1973
Vincent Harrington, Fireman	1973
Walter Cahoon, Fireman	1973
Paul Boido, Fireman	1973
William Costa, Fireman	1973
Gordon Wallace, Fireman	1973
Keith Lehmann, Fireman	1973
Dennis Newman, Fireman	1973
Herbert Stewart, Fireman	1973

### **FOREST WARDEN**

Ferdinand L. Alvezi	1973
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Term Expires

**DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS**

(Appointed by Forest Warden)

Richard A. Atwood	Clyde Tripp
Gerald E. Caron	Herbert S. Weaver
Foster Willoughby	John D. White
W. Gordon Swan	Robert L. White
Richard Currier	Leo Ferrari
Richard E. Canning, Jr.	Peter Beauchemin

**INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND MEAT**

(Appointed by Board of Health)

Hilda E. Whitmore	1973
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**INSECT PEST SUPERINTENDENT**

William J. Ellis	1973
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**FINANCE COMMITTEE**

J. James Hamlen, Chairman

Edward W. Sawyer	Fred W. Lehmann
Horace E. Carr	C. Ruggles Smith

**REGISTRARS OF VOTERS**

Niilo R. Ahonen	1973
Edward F. Montague, Jr.	1973
Ida D. O'Brien	1974

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

Bernard C. DiPietro	1973
James J. George	1973
Peter Meinel	1973
Meredith W. Bourne, Secretary	1974
John M. Mendonza	1974
J. Albert Torrey, Chairman	1975
Daniel E. Potter	1975

**DOG OFFICER**

Francis Silva	1973
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**FISH AND GAME LAWS ENFORCEMENT OFFICER**

Clarence R. VanBuskirk	1973
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Term Expires

**APPEAL BOARD**

John W. Stobbart III, Vice Chairman	1973
Roland F. DeConto	1974
Albert Roberti, Chairman	1975
Charles C. Fears	1975
John A. Harvey	1976
Associate Members:	
Ann C. Sullivan	1973
Peter J. Closson	1973

**MARINA COMMITTEE**

Reverend William Morris, Chairman	Howard J. Carlson
John H. Field	Charles C. Russell
Benjamin H. Morrow	

**HARBOR MASTER**

Edwin T. Moffitt, Harbor Master	1973
George A. Anderson, Assistant Harbor Master	1973

**SANDWICH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**

Bertrand C. French	1973
Katherine Bourne, Secretary	1973
Winthrop Davis, Chairman	1974
Seth S. Pope	1974
Elisabeth T. Durham	1975
Alternate Members:	
John H. Field	1973
James O. Collins	1974
George C. Campbell	1974

**SANDWICH HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Russell A. Lovell, Jr., Chairman	1973
W. Gordon Swan	1973
Daniel L. Cullity	1973
C. Ruggles Smith	1974
Susan Andrews	1975
Burton J. Jones, Jr.	1975
David F. Wright, Secretary	1975

**SANDWICH HISTORIC DISTRICT STUDY COMMITTEE**

Donald Bourne, Chairman	William N. Chase
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## Term Expires

Elisabeth T. Durham	Zigmund Gozdz
Earle L. Kempton	Nina B. Sutton
Deane L. Lawrence (Resigned 11/14/72)	Caesar A. Alvezi

**ADVISORY LANDSCAPE COUNCIL**

Natalie Norris, President  
 Wilfred Graves, Vice President  
 Wallace Terhune, Treasurer  
 Barbara Gill, Secretary  
 Caryll Gates, Correspondence Secretary

**CAPE COD PLANNING AND ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

Carl H. Hiler	1974
J. Louis Roberti	1974

**POLICE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE**

William G. Bryden, Chairman	Richard V. Anthony
Robert D. Whearty, Jr.	Stanley Lehner
Arthur Souza	

**SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Walter T. Fagnant	Howard P. Crowell
Stanley A. Torrey	Dorothy Smith
Frank C. Bess	

**RECREATION COMMITTEE**

Lydia F. Borjeson	James A. Greenwood
Phillip H. Bangs	Rodney Valentini
Richard G. Glynn	Raymond B. Hart
Roberta F. Leydon	

**COUNCIL ON AGING**

Mary J. Schindler	1973
Dorothy E. Gallant	1973
Irene M. Beers	1974
Caesar A. Alvezi	1974
Albert R. Morse, Chairman	1975
Claire C. Magnant, Secretary	1975
William E. Duncan	1975

**THORNTON W. BURGESS CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Nancy E. Titcomb	Rosanna Cullity
Elizabeth G. Phillips	W. Gordon Swan
Russell A. Lovell, Jr.	



## Report of the Board of Selectmen

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### **To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:**

Unless directly involved as an active board or committee connected with the activities of the Town during 1972, it might not be realized or appreciated the extent of the development of the Town during the year. The reports of the various departments, and the inspectors involved in the construction activities, will give a good indication of this expansion. All indications are that this development will continue at least in the immediate future. While some people have little appreciation of these changes in the Town, there seems little that can be done to prevent Sandwich from continuing to grow. Rules and regulations might improve the type of growth but with the acceptance of Sandwich as a desirable town in which to live, the development is bound to continue. By and large the development has been orderly as those directly involved, with few exceptions, have endeavored to conform with the atmosphere of the Town.

Growing as a community can be a painful experience. It is only by proper influence, which can be exerted on a Town development, can the pain of experience be minimized. It is hoped that the influence being administered by the Town departments will result in a minimum of pain in the development of Sandwich.

As a youth grows towards maturity so does the family cost grow in proportion to his years. This is not unlike a Town; as a Town grows so does the cost of the necessary and required services increase. With development the Town tax base increases but the ratio many times does not balance during the period of development. This trend is being experienced in Sandwich under the existing conditions partly due to an imbalanced ratio between business properties and residential developments.

The usual Town annual activities during 1972 were again carried out successfully and satisfactorily. The Memorial Day exercises were again impressive in honoring the memories of those who were in the Armed Forces of our Country during the wars of the past and present years. The Fourth of July celebration again covered a full day of activities. The morning parade and sports

events were held for the young people. The evening activities again consisted of a band concert, boat carnival and aerial fireworks display. Over the years Sandwich has built up a most favorable reputation on the evening celebrations. Each year more and more visitors attend with nothing but most favorable comments for the activities and the Town.

The historical attraction again enjoyed a successful and satisfactory year. The Hoxie House and Dexter Grist Mill which the Town restored to influence our historic background were again well attended and appreciated as creating an atmosphere of the past. The Glass Museum, the Yesteryears Doll Museum, the Heritage Plantation, the Nye House and the Wing Fort House have all added much to pleasure and enjoyment to those who visit Sandwich. All of these activities create a desirable atmosphere and feeling with those who visit them and leave a most favorable impression with them for all time.

The final section of Cotuit Road which had been started in 1971 was completed in 1972. After several years of construction this main artery road has been finished from its beginning on Route 130 to the Mashpee Town line. Being a connecting road this construction was all done under Chapter 90 construction under the Supervision of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works. Another section of Quaker Meeting House Road which was scheduled for construction in 1972 has been delayed due to the completion of construction plans by the Department of Public Works. It is expected that this will go out for bid and be built during the coming year.

The construction of the Police Station was started late in the year and is expected to be completed by June of 1973. The Police Department activities have grown to the extent that the new facilities will be greatly appreciated when available.

The Board of Selectmen attended several meetings which were held for discussion and information on solid waste disposal. Solid waste is an ever increasing problem and the Board has endeavored to be informed on all the developments. Since the sanitary land fill method is no longer accepted as the best means of disposal, the Board has been following the development of recycling and reclaiming of solid waste as is now being considered. Mr. Roberti and Mr. Taylor, the Town Engineer, visited for inspection and observa-

tion a disposal plant in Wilmington, Delaware which method has been up for consideration. Under the existing State laws on solid waste, it will be necessary for the Town in the near future to move and accept some more suitable method of solid waste disposal.

The Board has continued to meet and discuss with Whitman & Howard Inc., our firm of engineers on the sewerage system for the proposed section of the Town as covered in the preliminary plans. The big problem is the location of the treatment plant and the method of disposing of the effluence. There will have to be an answer to these problems but so far they have not been easy to find.

A series of five stone groins were installed in the Sagamore Beach section to endeavor to stabilize the erosion in the beach area. Another section is planned to be included for additional protection. The Board reviewed these while under construction and made a final inspection upon their completion.

Joint meetings have been held with other Town Boards and Commissions in an effort to improve communication and better understanding of common problems and goals. Several evening meetings were held with interested citizens to discuss and clarify any areas relative to the Board of Selectmen's jurisdiction in Town affairs. Upon completion of annual appointments made by the Board, a printed list was made available to those who expressed an interest in this information.

Many of the other activities carried on by the Town and for the Town are covered in the different department annual reports.

We have enjoyed and appreciated working with and for the people of Sandwich during 1972 and trust that the coming year will again be a satisfactory experience for all. We also wish to express our appreciation to the elected and appointed officials whom we have worked with during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL H. HILER, Chairman  
JOHN LOUIS ROBERTI  
CARLO A. POLA

Board of Selectmen



## Report of the Board of Assessors

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### To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

Again in 1972 the real and personal property value, which is the Town tax base, has increased by more than five million dollars. When it is considered that the largest majority of the valuation is in residential property, it shows directly the volume of development of the Town during the year.

In 1972, it was necessary to raise through taxation more than \$800,000.00 over the required amount needed in 1971. This resulted in an increase in the 1972 tax rate of \$7.00 over the 1971 rate of \$15.50.

Previous to the 1972 annual Town Meeting, the Assessors had been advised by the Department of Corporations and Taxation that it had been determined by State appraisal that the value of State owned land in the Town of Sandwich had been valued at over \$11,000,000.00 which by using the State wide average tax rate of over \$75.00 the estimated receipt reimbursement from the State would be \$821,532.93. The reimbursements to cities and towns for State owned lands is covered under the provisions of Chapter 58, Sections 13-17 of the general laws. This law makes the reimbursement to cities and towns a legal liability of the Commonwealth.

There was no knowledge or information until the cherry sheet was received late in June that the State's obligation would not be met. The cherry sheet reimbursement covered about \$27,000.00 which was short about \$800,000.00 from the amount previously indicated to be due.

Attempts were made to correct the omission but it was too late in the legislative session to be able to amend or add to the state budget.

It was with the information that the Town could expect to receive \$800,000.00 additional reimbursement from the State, that it was suggested and recommended that \$697,950.00 of capital outlay could be raised and appropriated without greatly affecting the 1972 tax rate.



The capital outlays which were voted to be paid for by taxation in 1972 included land for a new school, land for conservation, architect fees for new school, temporary school classrooms with equipment and new fire truck. These were all needed and desirable expenditures, and if provided for on time, payment would eventually have to be paid for and would be reflected in some future tax rate.

This is all yesterday's business, but if the State payment as advised had been made, the 1972 tax rate would not have been affected by more than \$1.00.

As most know, the present valuation formula was established in 1969 at the time of the revaluation of all real property in the Town. In the three years since then a great deal has happened to values as indicated in the sales reports. It is becoming very confusing to observe month after month the increased values that buyers are placing on property as shown on the transfers. It does not seem economically feasible to consider another complete revaluation of the Town in such a short period of time, but if the present trend continues, serious consideration will have to be given towards making some reasonable adjustment.

The continued use of our present valuation formula does maintain a fair equalized value on all property so that part of the legal requirement is met, but it is getting further and further away from the fair cash value as is also required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN LOUIS ROBERTI, Chairman  
CARL H. HILER  
CARLO A. POLA

Board of Assessors

# ASSESSORS' REPORT — VALUATION COMPARISON

	1970	1971	1972
Value Real Estate	\$96,289,500.00	\$100,537,200.00	\$105,301,100.00
Value of Personal Property	3,153,900.00	3,461,400.00	3,922,979.00
Dwellings Assessed	\$99,443,400.00	\$103,998,600.00	\$109,224,079.00
(Cabins, Cottages & Motel Units)	2,404	2,593	2,781
Acres of Land Assessed	399	415	435
Number of Horses Assessed	16,400	16,400	16,754
Number of Cows Assessed	43	40	40
Number of Fowl Assessed	5	1	1
Number of Sheep Assessed	500	500	500
Value of Buildings	20	4	4
Value of Land	72,613,300.00	75,726,100.00	80,319,060.00
Net Amount Raised by Taxation Overlay	23,676,200.00	24,811,100.00	26,529,100.00
	1,392,207.60	1,611,931.80	2,457,791.78
	39,969.21	40,003.77	35,758.62
Rate per \$1,000 Valuation	14.00	15.50	22.50

## Report of the Town Accountant

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 41, Section 61 of the General Laws, I herewith submit my first annual report for the year ending December 31, 1972, showing receipts from all sources, amounts of appropriations and all expenditures.

I also wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks and appreciation to you and to all the departments for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY J. LAFFOON

Town Accountant

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### 1972 APPROPRIATIONS

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Legislative	\$ 750.00
Law	15,000.00
Certification of Notes	1,000.00
Interest	24,125.00
Selectmen	20,650.00
Assessors	17,900.00
Accountant — Clerk S & A	7,780.00
Clerical — S A & A	19,320.00
Treasurer	5,380.00
Tax Collector	8,358.00
Town Clerk	3,382.00
Clerical —	
Treasurer, Tax Collector, etc	18,105.00
Election and Registration	9,150.00
Fire and Police Building	11,300.00
Town Hall	6,100.00
Police	199,319.00
Communications Center	27,320.00

Fire	108,245.00
Forest Warden	1,600.00
Woods Roads	700.00
Insect Pest Control	4,700.00
Dutch Elm Control	7,500.00
Tree Warden	6,300.00
Wire Inspector	2,020.00
Building Inspector	9,380.00
Gas Inspector	2,000.00
Health and Sanitation	36,120.00
Public Health Nurse	28,844.00
Highways General	69,900.00
Finance Committee	500.00
Veterans Services	20,000.00
School	890,662.00
Library	10,800.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
Clark-Haddad Memorial Building	2,940.00
Street Lights	12,500.00
Planning Board	5,700.00
Appeal Board	1,000.00
Historic District Commission	200.00
Park	24,845.00
Memorial Day	600.00
Christmas Lighting	2,000.00
Tax Title Account	2,000.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00
Town Reports and Warrants	3,500.00
4th of July Celebration	2,200.00
Public Entertainment	500.00
Town Advertising	500.00
Binding Town Records	500.00
Greenhead Fly Control	422.00
Summer Recreation	18,591.00
Fish and Game	100.00
Town Insurance	20,000.00
Town Clock	500.00
Cemeteries	3,500.00
Conservation Commission	3,460.00
Vocational School —	

Capital & Operating Cost—1972 43,449.31



Principal Payment—1958 School Loan	25,000.00
Principal Payment—1963 School Loan	50,000.00
Interest on Tax Anticipation	5,000.00
Sandwich Historical Commission	1,500.00
Engineering Department	23,810.00
Civil Defense	795.00
Town Garage	7,200.00
Shellfish Warden—Propagation Shellfish	550.00
Highways—Chapter 81	7,900.00
Highways—Chapter 90	55,500.00
Groin Construction	15,000.00
Old Harbor Land Purchase	46,625.00
County Land Damages	225.00
Dog and Conservation Officer	12,850.00
School Building Committee	270,000.00
School Building—	
Portable Classrooms	104,700.00
Board of Health—	
Cape Cod Mental Health Assoc.	700.00
Fire Engine Purchase	46,000.00
Police Prosecutor	1,680.00
Council on Aging	1,000.00
Unpaid Fuel Bills of 1971	478.00
Highways:	
Mill Road, off Old County Road	500.00
Chase Point Road	500.00
Snake Pond Road	2,300.00
Ploughed Neck Road	6,800.00
Plank Walk Repairs	500.00
Sidewalk Repairs	2,000.00
Chipman Road	3,700.00
Burbank Street	4,000.00
Phillips Road	2,700.00
Water Street—Grading	1,000.00
Turtle Cove Road, Burning Tree Lane and Wee Heather Way Taking	5.00
Conservation Commission—	
Land Purchase	3,000.00
Reserve Account	20,000.00
School Land Purchase	183,000.00

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\$2,651,235.31

**FROM AVAILABLE FUNDS**

Highways—Chapter 81—	
Surplus Revenue	21,725.00
Highways—Chapter 90—	
Surplus Revenue	30,000.00
Old Harbor Land Purchase—	
Surplus Revenue	46,625.00
Restoration Income—1971	17,119.75
Marina Income—1971	1,006.03
Library State Reimbursement—1971	520.50
Library—Dog Fund—1971	1,842.76
Police Station—Building Committee—	
Surplus Revenue	152,000.00
Veterans Services—Surplus Revenue	6,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans—	
Surplus Revenue	3,878.00
Fire Aerial Ladder Truck Purchase—	
Surplus Revenue	11,400.00
Kiah's Way—Surplus Revenue	500.00
Mill Road—Surplus Revenue	12,000.00
Samoset Road, Thumpertown and Shady Oak Lane	
Road Layouts—Surplus Revenue	5.00
Soil Survey—Surplus Revenue	7,814.00

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\$312,436.04

**DISBURSEMENTS****For the Year Ending December 31, 1972**

<b>Account</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Legislative	300.00
Law	12,099.96
Certification of Notes	59.00
Finance Committee	280.00
Selectmen	20,642.29
Assessors	17,900.00
Town Accountant	7,780.00
Clerical—Selectmen, Assessors & Town Accountant	18,519.95
Treasurer	5,469.08
Tax Collector	9,744.84
Town Clerk	3,376.62
Clerical—Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk	18,005.00
Group Insurance	42,920.81
Election and Registration	9,112.09
Fire and Police Building	9,869.19
Town Garage	4,908.18
Town Hall	5,439.30
Police Department	202,613.91
Communications Center	27,149.41
Fire Department	105,459.62
Forest Warden	1,598.40
Insect Pest Control	4,690.04
Dutch Elm Control	7,491.53
Tree Warden	7,002.58
Wire Inspector	2,020.00
Building Inspector	9,327.00
Woods Roads	640.00
Gas Inspector	1,455.95
Dog and Conservation Officer	11,507.17
Health and Sanitation	31,785.24
Public Health Nurse	22,393.68
Highways General	69,949.59
Highways—Chapter 81	29,625.00
Highways—Chapter 90— Cotuit Road	107,314.85
Mill Road Construction	139.08

Spring Hill Road Drainage	500.00
Freedom, Deer Hollow and Tabor Roads	1,070.24
Plank Walk Repairs	58.25
Chipman Road	7,159.80
Sidewalk Repairs	2,748.29
Pine Street	144.00
Tyler Drive Construction	943.28
Burbank Street	4,000.00
Mill Road	8,712.19
Kiah's Way	500.00
Knott Avenue	337.90
Snake Pond Road	1,857.98
Veterans' Services	29,623.63
School	890,661.95
School Lunch	44,647.90
School Athletic Fund	1,277.12
School—Public Law 874	23,885.17
Title I Project—P.L. 8910	7,437.00
Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational- Technical School District	43,449.31
School—Title II—P.L. 8910	1,559.73
Miscellaneous	252.00
Library	32,101.45
Town Beaches and Parks	23,774.62
Engineering Department	24,330.92
Clark-Haddad Memorial Building	2,932.18
East Boat Basin Marina	26,692.75
Street Lights	11,662.49
Civil Defense	578.91
Planning Board	5,681.22
Appeal Board	885.28
Conservation Commission	1,398.47
Conservation Commission— Land Purchase	800.00
Historic District Commission	58.50
Sandwich Historical Commission	788.55
Hoxie House and Grist Mill Maintenance and Operation	17,132.70
Summer Recreation	18,555.28
Memorial Day	443.94



Public Entertainment	335.00
Town Advertising	482.96
Defining and Laying Out Roads	2,050.00
Care of Town Clock	500.00
Christmas Lighting	1,653.80
Binding Town Records	500.00
Tax Title and Foreclosure Account	2,223.54
Propagation of Shellfish	555.89
Propagation of Fish and Game	83.20
Town Insurance Account	19,563.50
Directional and Street Signs	583.84
Fourth of July Celebration	2,200.00
Jetties	20,570.00
Town Barn Building Committee	3,614.34
Forestdale Fire Station	
Building Committee	3,284.88
School Land Purchase	154,998.00
School Building Committee	39,149.58
School—Portable Classrooms	102,169.17
Printing Town Reports and Warrants	3,384.00
Police Station Site Improvement	7,000.00
Police Station Building Committee	53,307.97
Green Head Fly Control	422.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00
Unpaid Bills of 1971	478.00
County Land Damages	225.00
Sandy Neck Purchase	129,000.00
Truck Purchase—Tree Warden	134.73
Ambulance Purchase	16,100.00
Fire Engine Purchase	46,000.00
Cemeteries	3,214.35
Old Harbor Land Purchase	93,250.00
Debt Payments	1,075,000.00
Interest—Temporary Loans	10,571.00
Interest—School Loans	24,125.00
Council on Aging	579.57
Mental Health Association	700.00
Refunds:	
1971 Excise Taxes	2,343.74
1972 Excise Taxes	963.67

1972 Personal	
Property Taxes	339.75
1972 Real Estate Taxes	4,039.00
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	7,686.16
Federal Tax Withholdings	171,420.28
State Tax Withholdings	46,579.28
Group Insurance Withholdings	18,648.13
Teachers Disability Insurance	
Withholdings	394.56
Teachers Retirement Withholdings	28,341.08
Teachers Annuity Withholdings	2,463.88
Teachers Association Dues Withholdings	1,025.00
County Retirement Withholdings	27,067.93
Sale Of Dogs	9.00
Proceeds Dog Licenses	2,146.15
Proceeds Sporting Licenses	2,804.25
Town Clerk's Fees	2,246.05
Tax Collector's Fees	445.00
Barnstable County Retirement	27,392.30
State Parks and Reservations	9,629.34
Veterans District Assessment	6,212.71
Air Pollution	93.24
Insurance-Claims Payments	2,910.27
Court Fines Refund	50.00
Mosquito Control	15,538.97
State Audit	3,089.33
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	611.25
Mary Baker Scholarship Fund	100.00
Samuel M. Beale, Jr., Fund	233.75
Freeman Nursing Fund	54.33
Cedarville Cemetery	
(Wing and Tobey Fund)	45.00
Belcher Scholarship Fund	1,050.00
Eaton Fund	200.34
State Sales Tax Collections	11.83
County Tax	81,510.80
Health Insurance	437.62
Tax Title, Redeemed Reserved	
Sandwich Water Dist.	12.42
Sandwich Water District Collections	193,612.27
North Sagamore Water District	6,155.77

Marblehead Veteran	
Retirement Allowance	1,115.43
Somerville Retirement Allowance	686.82
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	\$4,548,272.22

**RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING**  
**December 31, 1972**

**Taxes:**

Prior Years	\$ 55,275.45	
Current:		
Personal	84,350.90	
Real	2,231,381.89	
	<hr/>	\$2,371,008.24

**Motor Vehicle and Trailer:**

Excise Taxes:		
Prior Years	41,914.63	
Current	100,426.45	
	<hr/>	142,341.08

Machinery Excise	123.50
Interest on Taxes	4,649.69
Federal Tax Withholdings	171,420.28
State Tax Withholdings	46,602.64
Group Insurance Withholdings	18,624.77
Teachers' Disability Insurance	394.56
Teachers' Annuity Withholdings	2,505.88
Teachers' Retirement Withholdings	28,341.08
County Retirement Withholdings	27,067.93
Teachers' Association Dues	1,025.00
Proceeds Dog Licenses	2,146.40
Proceeds Sporting Licenses	2,809.25
Town Clerk's Fees	2,195.20
Tax Collector's Fees	495.60
1971 Dog Fund	1,842.76

**State:**

Program For Senior Citizens	600.00	
Veterans Services	12,405.54	
	<hr/>	13,005.54

State Aid to Highways:		
Chapter 81	21,725.00	
Chapter 90	41,964.76	
	<hr/>	63,689.76
County Aid to Highways:		
Chapter 90		20,982.37
Federal Grants:		
Highway Safety (Ambulance)	7,500.00	
BOR Funding		
(Sandy Neck Purchase)	61,200.99	
Medicare Reimbursement	6,637.97	
School-Public Law 874	48,011.12	
School-Title I Program	7,437.00	
School-Title II Program	1,546.35	
Revenue Sharing	128,091.00	
	<hr/>	260,424.43
School Lunch Receipts:		
School	26,513.57	
State	18,322.62	
	<hr/>	44,836.19
School Athletic Fund		1,278.00
Road Machinery Account		1,145.87
State Grants:		
State Parks	635.86	
Loss of Taxes	27,389.28	
Lottery	3,098.62	
Library Aid	1,964.63	
Valuation Basis-Local Aid		
Chapter 660	9,117.51	
Highway Funds	44,393.10	
	<hr/>	\$86,599.00
Division of Tuition:		
School Transportation	360.00	
Vocational Educational Outside		
School Transportation	1,088.00	
School Aid-Chapters 69, 70, 71	112,295.72	
	<hr/>	\$113,743.72
Selectmen's Licenses and Permits:		
Amusement	40.00	
Sunday Entertainment	2.00	



Common Victualers	95.00
Liquor	5,197.00
Junk Dealers	25.00
Auto Dealers	25.00
Public Weighers	3.00
Auctioneers	2.00
Taxi Cab	1.00
Shellfish	124.00
Fuel Storage	149.00
Raffle and Bazaar	80.00

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\$5,743.00

Refund-Tax Title Account	20.00
Refund-Tree Warden	10.00
Refund-School Department	65.00
Refund-Treasurer-Checks	96.00
Refund-Restoration M&O	24.00
Sandwich Water District Collections	190,682.98
No. Sagamore Water Dist. Collections	6,123.23
Ambulance Service	285.00
Machinery Basis	9.63
Court Fines	1,215.00
Care of Dogs	140.00
Prepaid Advertising	610.00
Summer Recreation Programs	263.00
Trailer Coach Park	5,232.00
Town Maps	378.00
Nursing Fees	5,799.98
Petty Cash-Restoration M&O	150.00
Building Permits	5,586.00
Plumbing Permits	4,236.00
Gas Permits	154.00
Wire Inspector's Fees	1,756.00
Engineering-Inspection Fees	1,845.00
Engineering-Assessors Maps	786.69
Recordings	5.00
Certificates of Municipal Liens	708.00
Redemption of Certificates	3.00
Sale of Dogs	3.00
Sale of Books	8.00
Board of Health	1,542.50
Telephone Booth Income	189.40

Street and Voting Lists	34.00
Planning Board-Sub-Div. Regulations	23.00
Reimbursements-Health Insurance	69.00
Reimbursement-Cemetery Appropriation	300.00
Reimbursement-Ambulance	8,600.00
Reimbursement-Park Department	74.50
Reimbursement-Fire Department	32.75
Reimbursement-Certification of Notes	20.00
Reimbursement-Highways	50.41
Reimbursement-Marina	144.70
Reimbursement-Street Signs	54.00
Reimbursement-Police-Special Inv.	159.30
Reimbursement-School-Portable Clsrms.	40,000.00
School Construction Reimbursements	26,466.36
Dog Officer Fees	145.00
Photostatic Copies-Police	494.00
Photo ID's	92.00
Fire Arms-Permits	560.75
Fire Arms-Dealer Licenses	4.00
Fire Arms-Permit Pictures	113.00
Bicycle Registration	11.50
Contractor Permits for Dump Use	67.00
* Beach Parking Fees	525.00
Sale of Land	1,300.00
Lease-Snake Pond	100.00
Lease-Town Beach	100.00
Sales Tax Collection	11.83
Business Certificates	5.00
Teacher's Annuities-Chapter 560	507.88
Restoration Income	16,566.45
1972 Tax Adjustment	414.00
Marina Income	23,178.00
Sheriff-House of Correction	47.00
Gift in Lieu of Taxes	700.00
Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	1,000,000.00
Insurance Claims	2,960.27
Tax Title Redemption	784.21
Tailings	390.12
Custodial Fees	236.07
Library Fines	704.80
<hr/> \$1,353,972.31	

## Trust Fund Income:

Library	16,417.81	
Eaton Fund	169.94	
Samuel Beale, Jr. Fund	187.00	
Hannah B. Belcher Fund	100.00	
Baker Scholarship Fund	1,050.00	
Freeman Nursing Fund	54.33	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	611.90	
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	18,590.98	
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		\$4,807,605.03

## CLASSIFICATION OF ACCOUNTS

### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Moderator	\$100.00	
Clerical	80.50	
Posting Warrants	50.00	
Supplies	69.50	
To Revenue	450.00	
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		\$750.00
Appropriation		\$750.00

### LAW DEPARTMENT

Legal Fees and Charges	\$12,099.96	
To Revenue	2,900.04	
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		\$15,000.00
Appropriation		\$15,000.00

### CERTIFICATION OF NOTES

Certification of Notes	\$59.00	
To Revenue	961.00	
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		\$1,020.00
Refund	\$20.00	
Appropriation	1,000.00	
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		\$1,020.00

### FINANCE COMMITTEE

Secretary to Finance Committee	\$250.00	
Dues	30.00	
To Revenue	20.00	
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		\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00



## SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT

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Selectmen's Salaries	\$16,880.00	
Office Supplies	1,395.21	
Telephone	806.08	
Advertising	130.60	
Recording Fees	46.32	
Meeting Expenses	144.57	
Equipment	925.51	
Equipment Repairs	99.00	
Dues	145.00	
Police at Hearings	70.00	
To Revenue	7.71	
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		\$20,650.00
Appropriation		\$20,650.00

## ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT

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Assessors' Salaries	\$3,165.00	
Office Supplies	1,126.32	
Telephone	585.15	
Abstracts and Maps	1,457.23	
Assessing Services	4,125.00	
Aerial Maps	2,000.00	
Equipment	647.50	
Computer Service	2,609.00	
Professional fees-		
Assessing persons unknown	1,940.00	
Meeting Expenses	123.60	
Dues	102.00	
Mileage	12.00	
P.O. Box Rent	7.20	
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		\$17,900.00
Appropriation		\$17,900.00

## TOWN ACCOUNTANT

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Salary	\$7,780.00
Appropriation	\$7,780.00

## CLERICAL — SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS, ACCOUNTANT

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Clerical Salary and Wages	\$18,519.95	
To Revenue	800.05	
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		\$19,320.00
Appropriation		\$19,320.00

## TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT

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Treasurer's Salary	\$3,480.00	
Office Supplies	501.28	
Box Rent	7.20	
Envelopes and Check Blanks	952.65	
Telephone	167.69	
Recording	20.16	
Meeting Expense	12.80	
Bond Insurance	150.00	
Clerical	79.20	
Equipment Maintenance	90.10	
Dues	8.00	
To Revenue	6.92	
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		\$5,476.00
Appropriation	5,380.00	
Reimbursement	96.00	
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		\$5,476.00

## TAX COLLECTOR'S DEPARTMENT

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Tax Collector's Salary	\$4,958.00
Deputy Collector	74.00
Office Supplies	436.72
Telephone	103.38
Recording	5.00
Bond	288.00
Advertising	16.80
Computer Service	2,391.00
Clerical	297.00
Equipment	119.02
Equipment Repairs	13.00
Tax Bills and Envelopes	644.40

Postage-Tax Bills	330.02	
Meeting Expense	8.00	
Lien Fees	52.50	
Dues	8.00	
To Revenue	4.16	
	<hr/>	\$9,749.00
Reserve	1,391.00	
Appropriation	8,358.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,749.00

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TOWN CLERK

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Town Clerk's Salary	\$1,582.00	
Office Supplies	220.07	
Telephone	41.60	
Fees	182.52	
Bond	100.50	
Advertising	731.43	
Meeting Expense	9.50	
Envelopes	92.40	
Equipment	393.60	
Equipment Repairs	18.00	
Dues	5.00	
To Revenue	5.38	
	<hr/>	\$3,382.00
Appropriation		\$3,382.00

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CLERICAL — TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR,  
TOWN CLERK

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Salary and Wages	\$18,005.00	
To Revenue	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$18,105.00
Appropriation		\$18,105.00

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GROUP INSURANCE — TOWN

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Group Insurance	\$42,920.81	
To Revenue	2,079.19	
	<hr/>	\$45,000.00
Appropriation		\$45,000.00

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

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Registrars	\$2,030.00	
Clerical	54.00	
Checkers at Town Meeting	73.00	
✓ Election Officers	1,949.15	
Advertising	314.02	
Supplies	1,263.13	
Equipment	693.03	
Ballots	129.00	
Street Listing	1,486.64	
Police	806.00	
Telephone	26.21	
Janitor	287.91	
To Revenue	37.91	
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Appropriation		\$9,150.00
		\$9,150.00

## FIRE AND POLICE BUILDING

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### (Sandwich Station)

Fuel	\$1,575.49
Light and Power	1,208.03
Water	30.00
Equipment	547.09
Maintenance	268.49
Repairs	624.61
Supplies	458.70
Remodeling Office	2,054.18
Painting	350.00
Intercom System	370.35
Storm Windows	105.50

### (East Sandwich Station)

Light and Power	\$309.91
Fuel	613.92
Maintenance and Repairs	163.25
Water	30.00

### (Forestdale Station)

Light and Power	\$321.56
Maintenance and Repairs	198.10



Plaque	50.00	
Fuel	470.01	
Snow Removal	120.00	
To Revenue	1,430.81	
	<hr/>	\$11,300.00
Appropriation		\$11,300.00

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### TOWN GARAGE

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Fuel	\$1,741.66	
Light and Power	492.76	
Equipment	170.00	
Supplies	144.11	
Maintenance	349.65	
Water	30.00	
Repairs to Roof	1,980.00	
To Revenue	2,291.82	
	<hr/>	\$7,200.00
Appropriation		\$7,200.00

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### TOWN HALL

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Janitor	\$780.00	
Fuel	963.89	
Light and Power	638.47	
Water	30.00	
Supplies	503.77	
Maintenance	532.39	
Repairs	592.86	
Window Blinds	700.00	
Landscaping	697.92	
To Revenue	660.70	
	<hr/>	\$6,100.00
Appropriation		\$6,100.00

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### POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Salaries and Wages	\$110,838.69
Special Police	17,925.50

Court Time	4,558.46	
Overtime	9,475.96	
Gas and Oil	10,745.42	
Tires	2,640.35	
Office Supplies	1,432.34	
Police Supplies	998.08	
Cruiser Repairs	3,966.60	
Equipment and Radar Repairs	62.00	
Radio Repairs	1,726.23	
Training Expense	304.44	
Telephone	1,796.14	
Equipment	7,607.75	
Uniforms and Clothing	4,693.62	
Meeting Expenses	41.85	
Dues	105.00	
Matron	59.40	
Insurance	3,995.43	
New Cruisers	10,782.00	
Advertising	42.00	
Mileage and Meals	450.00	
Special Investigation Expenses	5,669.92	
Education	806.33	
School Guard	1,834.50	
Box Rent	4.50	
Car Wash	51.50	
	<hr/>	\$202,613.91
Reimbursements	159.30	
Reserve	3,135.61	
Appropriation	199,319.00	
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COMMUNICATIONS CENTER

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Salaries and Wages	\$26,917.80	
Supplies	138.86	
Equipment Repair	92.75	
To Revenue	170.59	
	<hr/>	\$27,320.00
Appropriation		\$27,320.00

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Salaries	\$69,935.77	
Telephone	1,562.95	
Office Supplies	418.57	
Fire Supplies	1,861.62	
Gas and Oil	2,227.22	
Equipment	2,729.65	
Equipment Repairs	30.00	
Radio Repairs	749.02	
Truck Repairs	1,627.46	
Insurance	5,175.00	
Advertising	50.45	
Tires	195.57	
Dues	38.50	
Batteries	257.93	
Uniforms and Clothing	2,610.49	
Meeting Expenses	174.33	
Call Department	15,055.50	
Ambulance and First Aid Supplies	345.34	
Fire Training Courses	414.25	
To Revenue	2,818.13	
	<hr/>	\$108,277.75
Appropriation	\$108,245.00	
Refund	32.75	
	<hr/>	\$108,277.75

## FOREST WARDEN

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Gas and Oil	\$73.80	
Supplies	74.15	
Equipment	460.68	
Repairs	756.08	
Batteries	233.69	
To Revenue	1.60	
	<hr/>	\$1,600.00
Appropriation		\$1,600.00

### INSECT PEST CONTROL

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Superintendent	\$1,742.00	
Labor	2,196.00	
Gas and Oil	24.75	
Spray Material	723.15	
Supplies	4.14	
To Revenue	9.96	
	<hr/>	\$4,700.00
Appropriation		\$4,700.00

### DUTCH ELM CONTROL

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Superintendent	\$1,898.00	
Labor	1,608.00	
Removal of Dead Elms and tree trimming	3,286.60	
Gas and Oil	24.06	
Spray Material	462.00	
Equipment Rental	140.00	
Supplies	3.87	
Purchase of Trees	69.00	
To Revenue	8.47	
	<hr/>	\$7,500.00
Appropriation		\$7,500.00

### TREE WARDEN

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Superintendent's Salary	\$1,500.00
Labor	768.00
Supplies	308.45
Equipment	239.90
Gas and Oil	487.61
Repairs	57.30
Tree Trimming and Removal	1,832.40
Purchase of Trees	1,149.50
Dues	25.00
Insurance	522.47
Spray Material	111.95



To Revenue	7.42	
	<hr/>	\$7,010.00
Appropriation	\$6,300.00	
Reserve	700.00	
Refund	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,010.00

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### WIRE INSPECTOR

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Salary	\$1,900.00	
Expenses	120.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,020.00
Appropriation		\$2,020.00

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### BUILDING INSPECTOR

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Inspector's Salary	\$7,710.00	
Deputy Inspector	500.00	
Supplies	247.00	
Expenses	870.00	
To Revenue	53.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,380.00
Appropriation		\$9,380.00

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### GAS INSPECTOR

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Inspector's Salary	\$1,200.00	
Mileage	124.20	
Supplies	120.75	
Dues	11.00	
To Revenue	544.05	
	<hr/>	\$2,000.00
Appropriation		\$2,000.00

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### WOODS ROADS

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Labor	\$480.00	
Brush Cutter	160.00	

To Revenue	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$700.00
Appropriation		\$700.00

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DOG AND CONSERVATION OFFICER

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Salary	\$4,610.55	
Supplies	80.05	
Dog Care	120.00	
Mileage	65.60	
Equipment	1,853.04	
Labor	100.00	
Clothing	231.35	
Gas and Oil	241.91	
Insurance	187.49	
Advertising	6.51	
Truck Purchase	3,837.17	
Tires	172.50	
Inspection Sticker	1.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	1,342.83	
	<hr/>	\$12,850.00
Appropriation		\$12,850.00

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HEALTH AND SANITATION

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Board Salaries	\$2,108.00
Board of Health Agent Salary	950.00
Dump Caretaker's Salary	9,521.90
Light and Power	295.62
Supplies	831.52
Dump Maintenance	8,884.00
Telephone	190.04
Equipment	106.02
Mileage	682.80
Plumbing Inspector's Salary	4,325.00
Assistant Plumbing Insp. Salary	810.00
Sanitary Inspector's Salary	2,532.00
Sanitary Inspector's Mileage	36.75
Bury Beached Animal	50.00
Advertising	74.97

Fee-Inspector of Animals & Slaughtering	200.00	
Animal Inspector Mileage & Expenses	186.62	
To Revenue	4,334.76	
	<hr/>	\$36,120.00
Appropriation		\$36,120.00

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PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

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Salary	\$8,600.00	
Mileage	614.40	
Clerical	4,368.00	
Telephone	363.92	
Relief Nurse	603.70	
Equipment	326.62	
Office Supplies	429.77	
Medical Supplies	665.05	
Rent	1,516.00	
Light and Power	142.61	
Dues and Subscriptions	111.50	
Insurance	109.11	
Box Rent	5.40	
Telephone Ansa Service	240.00	
Homemaker Service	3,200.00	
Therapy Service	1,090.00	
Meeting Expense	7.60	
To Revenue	6,450.32	
	<hr/>	\$28,844.00
Appropriation		\$28,844.00

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HIGHWAYS GENERAL

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Surveyor's Salary	\$7,900.00
Labor	23,675.15
Truck Repairs	1,306.40
Gas and Oil	2,533.88
Supplies	3,379.66
Equipment Repairs	362.89
Equipment	1,439.21
Equipment Rental	1,990.92
Tires	494.20

Patch	78.91	
Telephone	150.32	
Advertising	47.88	
Insurance	1,784.93	
Dues	15.00	
Fuel	76.87	
Gravel and Sand	1,096.40	
Paving	2,137.38	
Catch Basins	2,708.38	
Pipe	1,052.44	
White Lines	1,255.00	
Signs	971.05	
Inspection Sticker	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$29,625.00

## (Snow and Ice Control)

Labor	5,554.45	
Truck	1,481.25	
Repairs	1,037.05	
Salt	3,343.05	
Supplies	1,256.77	
Sand	1,382.65	
Equipment	1,434.50	
Appropriation	69,900.00	
Refund	50.41	
	<hr/>	\$69,950.41

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Labor	\$ 9,458.10	
Truck Rental	2,531.87	
Equipment Rental	280.00	
Asphalt and Road Oil	16,205.47	
Sand	1,149.56	
	<hr/>	\$29,625.00
Appropriation	7,900.00	
State Assistance	21,725.00	
To Revenue	.82	
	<hr/>	\$69,950.41



## HIGHWAYS — CHAPTER 90

### (Quaker Meeting House Road)

Balance December 31, 1972	\$85,500.00
Appropriation	\$85,500.00

## HIGHWAYS — CHAPTER 90

### (Cotuit Road)

Contract #26768	\$ 40,942.50	
Contract #26769	39,929.52	
Materials & Equipment	3,320.34	
Town Appropriation — 1971	23,122.49	
Transferred to Quaker Meeting House Road Account	5,000.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	1,132.28	
	<hr/>	\$113,447.13
Balance January 1, 1972	50,500.00	
Reimbursements (State & County)	62,947.13	
	<hr/>	\$113,447.13

## CHASE'S POINT ROAD

Balance December 31, 1972		\$838.00
Balance January 1, 1972	338.00	
Appropriation	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$838.00

## FREEDOM, DEER HOLLOW AND TABOR ROADS

Paving		\$1,070.24
Balance January 1, 1972		\$1,070.24

## GROVE STREET AND ACADEMY LANE

Balance December 1, 1972		\$1,200.00
Balance January 1, 1972		\$1,200.00

### TYLER DRIVE — DRAINAGE

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$666.48
Balance January 1, 1972	\$666.48

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### KNOTT AVENUE — DRAINAGE

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Materials	\$ 337.90	
Balance December 31, 1972	2,368.10	
	<hr/>	\$2,706.00
Balance January 1, 1972		\$2,706.00

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### SNAKE POND ROAD — PAVING

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Paving	\$1,857.98	
Balance December 31, 1972	1,442.02	
	<hr/>	\$3,300.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$1,000.00	
Appropriation	2,300.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,300.00

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### MORSE ROAD AND WATER STREET

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$250.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$250.00

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### PLOUGHED NECK ROAD

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Balance December 31, 1972		\$8,097.80
Balance January 1, 1972	\$1,297.80	
Appropriation	6,800.00	
	<hr/>	\$8,097.80

### POPPLE BOTTOM ROAD

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$2,698.29
Balance January 1, 1972	\$2,698.29

### SPRING HILL ROAD DRAINAGE

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Materials	\$500.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$500.00

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### EAST SANDWICH BEACH PARKING AREA

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$1,800.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$1,800.00

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### PLANK WALK REPAIRS

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Materials	\$ 58.25	
Balance December 31, 1972	800.55	
	<hr/>	\$858.80
Balance January 1, 1972	358.80	
Appropriation	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$858.80

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### SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$6,752.10
Balance January 1, 1972	\$6,752.10

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### SIDEWALK REPAIRS

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Paving		\$2,748.29
Balance January 1, 1972	\$ 748.29	
Appropriation	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,748.29

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### CHIPMAN ROAD

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Catch Basin Installation	\$ 887.50	
Paving	6,272.30	
	<hr/>	\$7,159.80
Balance January 1, 1972	\$3,459.80	
Appropriation	\$3,700.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,159.80

### PINE STREET

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Materials	\$ 144.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	11,620.50	
	<hr/>	\$11,764.50
Balance January 1, 1972		\$11,764.50

### MILL ROAD

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Labor	\$1,655.65	
Catch Basins and Material	649.65	
Paving	6,545.97	
Balance December 31, 1972	3,287.81	
	<hr/>	\$12,139.08
Balance January 1, 1972	\$ 139.08	
Appropriation	12,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$12,139.08

### SPRING HILL ROAD

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$3,550.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$3,550.00

### TYLER DRIVE CONSTRUCTION

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Paving	\$943.28
Balance January 1, 1972	\$943.28

### BURBANK STREET

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Paving	\$4,000.00
Appropriation	\$4,000.00

### MILL ROAD (Off Old County Road)

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$5,000.00
Appropriation	\$5,000.00



### PHILLIPS ROAD

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$2,700.00
Appropriation	\$2,700.00

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### WATER STREET — GRADING

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

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### KIAH'S WAY

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Labor	\$381.00	
Paving	119.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

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### VETERANS' SERVICES

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Cash Grants	\$4,673.40	
Medical	23,729.59	
Fuel	323.75	
Miscellaneous	788.25	
Graves Officer Expense	108.64	
To Revenue	376.37	
	<hr/>	\$30,000.00
Reserve	4,000.00	
Appropriations	26,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$30,000.00

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### SCHOOL

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Administration	\$ 26,949.76
Instruction	656,502.06
Other School Services	90,407.51
Operating & Maintenance of Plant	94,486.87

Acquisition of Fixed Assets	14,018.85	
Programs Other Districts and Private Schools	1,748.57	
Community Services	2,175.00	
Fixed Charges	4,223.33	
All Others	150.00	
To Revenue	.05	
	<hr/>	\$890,662.00
Appropriation		\$890,662.00

#### SCHOOL LUNCH

Salaries	\$22,275.14	
Groceries	16,936.09	
Milk	4,766.68	
Transportation	361.38	
Supplies and Equipment	308.61	
Balance December 31, 1972	688.52	
	<hr/>	\$45,336.42
Balance January 1, 1972	435.23	
Refund	65.00	
School Receipts	26,513.57	
State Receipts	18,322.62	
	<hr/>	\$45,336.42

#### SCHOOL ATHLETIC FUND

Officials	1,025.50	
Refreshments	51.62	
Scorers	200.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	1.02	
	<hr/>	\$1,278.14
Balance January 1, 1972	.14	
Athletic Receipts	1,278.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,278.14

#### SCHOOL — PUBLIC LAW 874

Administration	\$ 398.25
Instruction	8,209.19

Other School Services	1,763.78	
Operation/Maintenance of Plant	11,624.31	
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	314.02	
Programs Other Schools	590.37	
Community Service	225.00	
Fixed Charges	760.25	
Balance December 31, 1972	34,826.92	
	<hr/>	\$58,712.09
Balance January 1, 1972	23,889.09	
Federal Receipts	34,823.00	
	<hr/>	\$58,712.09

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UPPER CAPE COD REGIONAL V. T. SCHOOL DISTRICT

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1972 Assessments	\$43,449.31
Appropriation	\$43,449.31

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SCHOOL — NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION  
TITLE V P.L. 85864

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$24.25
Balance January 1, 1972	\$24.25

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SCHOOL TITLE I

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Disbursements	\$7,437.00
State Receipts	\$7,437.00

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SCHOOL — TITLE II P. L. 8910

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Disbursements	1,559.73	
Balance December 31, 1972	24.79	
	<hr/>	\$1,584.52
Balance January 1, 1972	38.17	
State's Receipts	1,546.35	
	<hr/>	\$1,584.52

## LIBRARY

Salaries (Librarians)	\$15,967.52	
Janitor	2,310.00	
Story Hour	20.63	
Supplies	422.70	
Books	5,732.95	
Periodicals	632.42	
Signs	25.00	
Snow Removal	102.50	
Dues	15.00	
Accounting	90.00	
Fuel	691.34	
Light and Power	1,508.00	
Water	30.00	
Telephone	206.32	
Maintenance	433.00	
Repairs	3,042.11	
Insurance	31.00	
Typewriter Repairs	19.05	
Landscaping	516.00	
Equipment	272.71	
Safety Deposit and Box Rent	7.20	
Care of Macy Lot	35.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	7.72	
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		\$32,109.17
Appropriation	\$10,800.00	
Balance January 1, 1972	2,528.10	
Dog Fund	520.50	
State Aid	1,842.76	
Income	16,417.81	
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		\$32,109.17

## MISCELLANEOUS

Disbursements	252.00	
To Revenue	248.00	
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		\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00



## EAST BOAT BASIN MARINA

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Light and Power	521.81	
Telephone	178.56	
Labor	10,025.50	
Maintenance	160.00	
Supplies	1,412.16	
Electrical Work	10,938.43	
Water	207.00	
Signs	360.50	
Equipment	1,306.04	
Floats	693.00	
Water Installation	125.00	
Gas Purchase	764.75	
Balance December 31, 1972	6,489.90	
	<hr/>	\$33,182.65
Balance January 1, 1972	20,031.75	
Transferred from 1971 Marina Income	1,006.03	
Receipts-Boat Dock & Sale of Gas	12,144.87	
	<hr/>	\$33,182.65

## PARK DEPARTMENT

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Foreman Salary	\$7,385.00
Janitor	1,393.00
Labor	6,567.45
Truck & Equip. Maintenance	111.75
Gas & Oil	677.08
Light and Power	278.58
Water	60.00
Supplies	1,220.73
Equipment	614.38
Signs	10.00
Maintenance and Repairs	1,614.31
Telephone	204.25
Advertising	6.72
Insurance	187.39
Landscaping	505.40
Snow Tires	107.00
Truck Purchase	2,693.88

Stone Benches	137.70	
To Revenue	1,144.88	
	<hr/>	\$24,919.50
Appropriation	24,845.00	
Refund	74.50	
	<hr/>	\$24,919.50

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TOWN ENGINEERING

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Salary	\$16,350.00	
Labor	3,820.00	
Aerial Maps	398.00	
Car Repair	42.88	
Equipment	1,304.50	
Inspection Sticker	1.00	
Gas and Oil	542.73	
Supplies	1,080.16	
Telephone	393.38	
Tires	90.52	
Bounds	46.80	
Rain Gear	10.95	
Insurance	250.00	
	<hr/>	\$24,330.92
Balance January 1, 1973	480.00	
Appropriation	23,810.00	
Reserve	40.92	
	<hr/>	\$24,330.92

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CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING

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Janitor	260.00	
Fuel	439.76	
Light and Power	150.23	
Water	30.00	
Supplies	19.20	
Repairs	1,964.80	
Maintenance	35.75	
Telephone	32.44	
To Revenue	7.82	
	<hr/>	\$2,940.00
Appropriation		\$2,940.00

### STREET LIGHTS

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Street Lights for 1972	\$11,662.49	
To Revenue	837.51	
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Appropriation		\$12,500.00
		\$12,500.00

### CIVIL DEFENSE

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Telephone	\$247.51	
Mileage	36.80	
Supplies	5.00	
P.O. Box Rent	4.40	
Equipment	285.20	
Balance December 31, 1972	216.09	
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Appropriation		\$795.00
		\$795.00

### PLANNING BOARD

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Advertising	\$269.44	
Supplies	454.48	
Clerical	2,595.00	
Meeting Expense	163.60	
Police	18.00	
Dues	30.00	
Sub-Division Regulations	131.20	
Professional Services		
(Philip Herr & Assoc.)	2,019.50	
To Revenue	18.78	
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Appropriation		\$5,700.00
		\$5,700.00

### BOARD OF APPEALS

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Clerical	\$151.75	
Advertising	379.41	
Supplies	297.12	
Dues	15.00	

Police	36.00	
Meeting Expense	6.00	
To Revenue	114.72	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
Appropriation		\$1,000.00

### CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Labor	\$413.00	
Equipment	83.48	
Supplies	466.68	
Clerical	6.50	
Advertising	13.86	
Dues and Subscriptions	25.00	
Recording	12.97	
Plaque Sandy Neck	376.98	
To Revenue	2,061.53	
	<hr/>	\$3,460.00
Appropriation		\$3,460.00

### CONSERVATION — LAND PURCHASES

Land Purchase	\$800.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	5,983.96	
	<hr/>	\$6,783.96
Balance January 1, 1972	3,783.96	
Appropriation	3,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,783.96

### RESTORATION — MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION

(Hoxie House)

Salaries	3,708.43
Light and Power	121.44
Water	30.00
Telephone	178.01
Supplies	14.60
Advertising	175.00
Repairs and Maintenance	375.33



Termite Spray	90.00
Petty Cash	75.00
Magazines and Postcards	416.75
Loan of Furniture	101.41
Dehumidifier	313.50
Bond Insurance	43.00
Setting Plaque	75.00

## (Grist Mill)

Salaries	\$5,489.30	
Supplies	88.50	
Advertising	175.00	
Corn	2,177.94	
Repairs and Maintenance	1,523.24	
Petty Cash	75.00	
Magazines and Postcards	218.00	
Bags and Recipes	125.00	
Landscaping	1,543.25	
Balance December 31, 1972	161.05	
	<hr/>	\$17,293.75
Transferred from Income — 1971	17,119.75	
Petty Cash Refund	150.00	
Refund	24.00	
	<hr/>	\$17,293.75

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HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

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Supplies	58.50	
To Revenue	141.50	
	<hr/>	\$200.00
Appropriation		\$200.00

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MEMORIAL DAY

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Flags and Markers	\$108.94	
Band	335.00	
To Revenue	156.06	
	<hr/>	\$600.00
Appropriation		\$600.00

## PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT

Band	\$335.00	
To Revenue	165.00	
		\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

## TOWN ADVERTISING

Advertising	\$482.96	
To Revenue	17.04	
		\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

## TOWN CLOCK

Care of Town Clock		\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

## DEFINING AND LAYING OUT OF ROADS

Burning Tree, Wee Heather and Turtle Cove Roads	\$2,050.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	897.25	
		\$2,947.25
Balance January 1, 1972		\$2,947.25

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTING

Christmas Lighting	\$1,653.80	
To Revenue	346.20	
		\$2,000.00
Appropriation		\$2,000.00

## JETTIES

Groin Construction	\$20,570.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	23,880.86	
		\$44,450.86
Balance January 1, 1972	29,450.86	
Appropriation	15,000.00	
		\$44,450.86

## BINDING TOWN RECORDS

Binding Town Records	\$500.00
Appropriation	\$500.00

## TAX TITLE ACCOUNTS

Tax Title Disbursements		\$2,223.54
Reserve	\$223.54	
Appropriation	2,000.00	
		\$2,223.54

## RESERVE FUND

Tax Collector	\$1,391.00	
Temporary Loan Interest	584.59	
Veterans Services	4,000.00	
Tax Title Foreclosure	223.54	
Tree Warden	700.00	
Police	3,135.61	
Engineering	40.92	
To Revenue	9,924.34	
		\$20,000.00
Appropriation		\$20,000.00

## PROPAGATION OF SHELLFISH

Constable	\$304.00	
Supplies	1.89	
Shellfish	250.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	244.11	
		\$800.00
Balance January 1, 1972	250.00	
Appropriation	550.00	
		\$800.00

## PROPAGATION OF FISH AND GAME

Supplies	83.20	
To Revenue	16.80	
		\$100.00
Appropriation		\$100.00

### TOWN INSURANCE

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Town Insurance	\$19,563.50	
To Revenue	436.50	
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Appropriation		\$20,000.00
		\$20,000.00

### BRUSHING TOWN ROADS

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$81.78
Balance January 1, 1972	\$81.78

### DIRECTIONAL AND STREET SIGNS

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Street Signs	\$583.84	
Balance December 31, 1972	1,131.06	
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Balance January 1, 1972	1,660.90	
Reimbursement	54.00	
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		\$1,714.90
		\$1,714.90

### NUMBERING OF BUILDINGS

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$5.08
Balance January 1, 1972	\$5.08

### FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

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Fireworks Display	\$2,200.00
Appropriation	\$2,200.00

### TOWN REPORTS AND WARRANTS

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Printing Town Reports and Warrants	\$3,384.00	
To Revenue	116.00	
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Appropriation		\$3,500.00
		\$3,500.00



## GREEN HEAD FLY CONTROL

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Town's Share of County Program	\$422.00
Appropriation	\$422.00

## HYDRANT RENTAL

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Hydrant Rental	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

## COURT FINES

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Court Fines	\$50.00
Refund	\$50.00

## SUMMER RECREATION

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Director's Salary	\$1,260.00	
Lifeguards Salary	2,749.00	
Swimming Instructor's Salary	2,333.00	
Supplies and Equipment	53.00	
Little League	2,804.29	
Babe Ruth League	1,446.60	
Soccer Program	551.55	
Adult Softball	725.00	
Summer Recreation	1,557.50	
Summer Recreation Supplies	2,813.56	
Ice Hockey Program	1,906.82	
Drama Program	249.42	
Police	90.00	
Advertising	15.54	
To Revenue	35.72	
	<hr/>	\$18,591.00
Appropriation		\$18,591.00

## GULLY LANE

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$5.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$5.00

### SCHOOL LAND PURCHASE

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Land Purchase	\$154,998.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	28,002.00	
	<hr/>	\$183,000.00
Appropriation		\$183,000.00

### SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Test Holes	\$43.50	
Appraisals	250.00	
Supplies	58.58	
Architectural Fees	36,500.00	
Aerial Map	14.50	
Mapping Services	2,283.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	241,673.99	
	<hr/>	\$280,823.57
Balance January 1, 1971	10,823.57	
Appropriation	270,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$280,823.57

### SCHOOL — PORTABLE CLASSROOMS

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Test Holes	\$50.00	
Sanitary Installation	9,706.73	
Portable Classrooms	40,000.00	
Furniture and Supplies	12,412.44	
Balance December 31, 1972	42,530.83	
	<hr/>	\$104,700.00
Appropriation		\$104,700.00

### COUNCIL ON AGING

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Supplies and Expenses	\$579.57	
Balance December 31, 1972	1,020.43	
	<hr/>	\$1,600.00
Appropriation	1,000.00	
Reimbursement	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,600.00

## SPECIAL INSURANCE ACCOUNT

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Insurance Claims	\$2,910.27
Insurance Receipts	\$2,910.27

## SANDWICH HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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Supplies	\$53.73	
Clerical	246.75	
Equipment	97.43	
Photographs and Maps	390.64	
To Revenue	711.45	
		\$1,500.00
Appropriation		\$1,500.00

## KNOTT AVENUE EASEMENT

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$98.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$98.00

## CULVERT REPAIRS — PLOUGHED NECK ROAD

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$2,000.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$2,000.00

## IMPROVEMENT ON PINE STREET LOT

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$120.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$120.00

## ROAD TAKING TURTLE COVE ROAD, WEE HEATHER WAY and BURNING TREE LANE

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

ROAD TAKING  
SAMOSET ROAD, THUMPERTOWN LANE and  
SHADY OAK LANE

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

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FORESTDALE FIRE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Contractor Payments	\$3,248.40	
Advertising	36.48	
Balance December 31, 1972	1,466.12	
		\$4,751.00
Balance January 1, 1972		\$4,751.00

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TOWN BARN BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Contractor Payments	\$3,245.00	
Paving	300.00	
Installing Railing	69.34	
		\$3,614.34
Balance January 1, 1972		\$3,614.34

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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT — RADIOS

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$3,700.00
Balance January 1, 1972	\$3,700.00

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OLD HARBOR LAND PURCHASE

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Land Purchase	\$93,250.00
Appropriation	\$93,250.00

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SANDY NECK PURCHASE

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Land Purchase	\$129,000.00	
Transferred to Police Station		
Building Committee	12,000.00	
		\$141,000.00
Balance January 1, 1972		\$141,000.00

### AMBULANCE PURCHASE

Ambulance Purchase	\$16,100.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	2,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$19,000.00
Balance January 1, 1972		\$19,000.00

### TRUCK PURCHASE — TREE WARDEN

Truck Purchase, accessories	\$134.73	
Balance December 31, 1972	666.25	
	<hr/>	\$800.98
Balance January 1, 1972		\$800.98

### FIRE ENGINE PURCHASE

Fire Engine	\$46,000.00
Appropriation	\$46,000.00

### POLICE PROSECUTOR

Balance December 31, 1972	\$1,680.00
Appropriation	\$1,680.00

### FIRE DEPARTMENT—AERIAL LADDER TRUCK REPAIRS

Balance December 31, 1972	\$11,400.00
Appropriation	\$11,400.00

### POLICE STATION SITE IMPROVEMENT

Site Improvement	\$7,000.00	
Trans. to Police Station Building Committee	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,200.00
Appropriation		\$7,200.00



## POLICE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Architectural fees	\$4,751.00	
Test Holes	315.00	
Advertising	85.66	
Engineering Services	985.56	
Contractor Payments	47,124.75	
Supplies	46.00	
Balance December 31, 1972	115,492.03	
		<hr/> \$168,800.00
Balance January 1, 1972	4,600.00	
Transferred from Site Improvement	200.00	
Transferred from Sandy Neck		
Purchase Account	12,000.00	
Appropriation	152,000.00	
		<hr/> \$168,800.00

## UNPAID BILLS OF 1971

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Unpaid Bills	\$478.00
Appropriation	\$478.00

## COUNTY LAND DAMAGES

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Harlow Road Taking	\$225.00
Appropriation	\$225.00

## CAPE COD MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION

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Cape Cod Mental Health Association	\$700.00
Appropriation	\$700.00

## SOIL SURVEY

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$7,814.00
Appropriation	\$7,814.00

## CONSERVATION — LAND PURCHASE

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Balance December 31, 1972	\$1,300.00
Income from Property Sales	\$1,300.00

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### TEMPORARY LOAN INTEREST

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Temporary Loan Interest	\$10,571.00
Appropriations	8,878.00
Transferred from Interest Acct.	1,108.41
Reserve	584.59
	<hr/> \$10,571.00

### CEMETERIES

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Labor	\$1,947.50
Care of Lots	352.00
Maintenance & Repairs	12.20
Deposits of Dividends	602.65
To Revenue	1,188.30
	<hr/> \$4,102.65
Balance January 1, 1972	35.75
Appropriation	3,500.00
Perpetual Care Income	566.90
	<hr/> \$4,102.65

### DEBT PAYMENTS

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School Construction — 1958	\$25,000.00
School Construction — 1963	50,000.00
	<hr/> \$75,000.00
Appropriation	\$75,000.00

### INTEREST

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Interest on Loans	\$24,125.00
Appropriation	\$24,125.00

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### TEMPORARY LOANS

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Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	\$1,000,000.00
Payments of Loans	\$1,000,000.00

## Balance Sheet — December 31, 1972

## GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash	\$178,531.39	Tailings—Unclaimed Checks	\$866.65
Savings Account	762,204.37	Trust Fund Income:	56.23
Special Savings—Revenue Sharing	128,091.00	William Eaton Needy Poor Library	7.72
Taxes:		School:	
Levy of 1971:		Public Law 8910	\$24.79
Personal Property	\$66.65	Public Law 81-874	34,826.92
Real Estate	4,812.07	Public Law 85-864	24.25
Levy of 1972:			
Personal Property	2,657.25	School Lunch	\$688.52
Real Estate	96,174.61	School Athletics	1.02
Taxes in Litigation		Appropriation Balances	
	103,710.58		
	1,928.68	Overestimated 1971 Assessments:	
Motor Vehicle Excise:		State Parks	\$3,907.52
Levy of 1970	\$110.00	County Tax	10,397.94
Levy of 1971	4,514.43	Mosquito Control	326.83
Levy of 1972	28,113.46	Air Pollution	.38
1972 Overlay			
			14,632.67
Tax Title and Tax Possession:		Receipts Reserved for Appropriation:	
Tax Title	\$5,721.54	Road Machinery	\$13,228.87
Tax Title (Sand. Water Dist.)	.75	Hoxie House and Grist Mill	16,566.45
Tax Title (No. Sag. Water Dist.)	25.54	Marina Income	11,177.83
Tax Possession	720.44	Library—State Reimb.	1,964.63
	6,468.27		

# Assets

Aid to Highways:  
State  
County

\$22,760.24  
517.63

Loans Authorized

23,277.87  
100,000.00

# Liabilities and Reserves

Ambulance Service

285.00

43,222.78  
50,189.08

Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus

Overlay Reserved for Abatements:

Levy of 1971

4,878.72  
42.00

Teachers Annuities

Revenue Reserved Until Collected:

Taxes in Litigation

\$1,928.68

Motor Vehicle Excise

32,737.89

Tax Title—Tax Possession

6,526.28

Aid to Highways

23,277.87

64,470.72

Surplus Revenue

265,468.94

Revenue Sharing—P.L. 92-512

128,091.00

Loans Authorized & Unissued

100,000.00

\$1,345,423.06  
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\$1,345,423.06  
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# DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

Inside Debt Limit:

General

\$30,000.00

Outside Debt Limit:

General

670,000.00

\$700,000.00  
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\$30,000.00

670,000.00

\$700,000.00  
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## TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

## Assets

Trust and Investment Funds:  
 Cash and Securities:  
 In Custody of Treasurer  
 In Custody of Trustees

\$146,472.44  
 291,851.83

## Liabilities and Reserves

In Custody of Treasurer:

Dr. Samuel M. Beale, Jr. \$6,937.85  
 Testimonial Fund 1,000.00  
 Mary I. Freeman Nursing Fund  
 Raymond Hamblin Boy Scout  
 Memorial Fund 825.18  
 Tupper Family Memorial Fund 763.43  
 Sandwich Beach Shores Play-  
 ground Fund 2,173.34

\$11,699.80

School Funds:

Sandwich Academy \$756.37  
 Hannah B. Belcher Scholar-  
 ship Fund 2,298.73  
 Alvah W. Holway 2,187.88  
 Mary C. Baker Scholarship Fund 28,466.95  
 Sandwich Tennis Club 5,144.90  
 George R. Meigs Scholarship Fund 206.82

39,061.65

Library Funds:

William Brewster \$7,000.00  
 Eva M. Converse 300.00  
 Mary I. Freeman 3,000.00  
 Alvah W. Holway 1,000.00  
 Susan F. Hoxie 5,600.00  
 Abbie F. Nye 500.00  
 Caroline R. Crocker 50,000.00

67,400.00

Cemetery Funds:

Perpetual Care \$18,254.03



# Assets

## Liabilities and Reserves

Nye Family Monument	405.68
Mt. Hope Cem. Perpetual Care	5,775.44
Freeman Cemetery	1,668.03
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Post War Rehabilitation Fund	26,103.23
Stabilization Fund	234.73
	1,973.03
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In Custody of Trustees:	
William Eaton Needy Poor Fund	5,000.00

## Library Funds:

Weston Memorial Fund	\$40,314.25
W. Dodge McKnight	189,050.07
Hannah B. Belcher	12,518.19
Mary C. Baker	21,370.66
Annie W. Chamberlain	1,000.00
John Frank Giles	2,000.00
Charles W. Macey	17,433.80
Nathaniel Nye	1,164.91
Harriet M. Faunce	2,000.00
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	286,851.88

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\$438,324.32

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\$438,324.32

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# Report of the Town Treasurer

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## GENERAL CASH SUMMARY

Cash Balance Jan. 1, 1972	\$247,289.58
Receipts in 1972	5,307,605.03
Disbursements in 1972	5,376,363.22
Cash Balance Dec. 31, 1972	\$178,531.39
Money in Banks Jan. 1, 1972	\$551,461.96
Interest Earned	10,742.41
Deposits	700,000.00
Withdrawals	500,000.00
Cash in Banks Dec. 31, 1972	\$762,204.37
Cash Balance Dec. 31, 1972	\$178,531.39
Money in Banks Dec. 31, 1972	762,204.37
Proceeds Revenue Sharing Dec. 31, 1972	128,091.00
Total Town Funds Dec. 31, 1972	\$1,068,826.76

## 1972 TAX TITLE ACCOUNT

Balance Jan. 1, 1972	2,039.88
1972 Taxes Added to Tax Title Accounts	3,343.50
1971 Taxes Added to Tax Title Accounts	550.25
Interest & Costs on Tax Titles	516.56
Redemptions	—716.15
Tax Title Disclaimed	—24.92
Balance Dec. 31, 1972	5,709.12

## 1972 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT TAX TITLE ACCOUNT

Balance Jan. 1, 1972	12.42
1972 Taxes Added to Tax Title Account	.75
Balance Dec. 31, 1972	13.17

## 1972 NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT TAX TITLE ACCOUNT

Balance Jan. 1, 1972	22.54
1972 Taxes Added to Tax Title Account	3.00
Balance Dec. 31, 1972	25.54

**TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS  
IN CUSTODY OF TOWN TREASURER**

**1972**

	<b>Bal. 1-1-72</b>	<b>Income 1972</b>	<b>With- drawals 1972</b>	<b>Bal. 12-31-72</b>
<b>School Funds</b>				
Sandwich Academy	\$717.49	\$38.88		\$756.37
Alvah W. Holway	2,075.37	112.51		2,187.88
Hannah B. Belcher	2,279.88	118.85	\$100.00	2,298.73
Mary C. Baker	28,070.23	1,446.72	1,050.00	28,466.95
Sandwich Tennis Club	4,883.45	261.45		5,144.90
George R. Meigs	196.33	10.49		206.82
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	\$38,222.75	\$1,988.90	\$1,150.00	\$39,061.65
<b>Sandwich Library Funds</b>				
William Brewster	\$7,000.00	\$378.35	\$378.35	\$7,000.00
Eva M. Converse	300.00	16.26	16.26	300.00
Mary I. Freeman	3,000.00	163.13	163.13	3,000.00
Alvah W. Holway	1,000.00	54.34	54.34	1,000.00
Susan F. Hoxie	5,600.00	302.69	302.69	5,600.00
Abbie F. Nye	500.00	27.16	27.16	500.00
Caroline Crocker	50,000.00	2,704.05	2,704.05	50,000.00
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	\$67,400.00	\$3,645.98	\$3,645.98	\$67,400.00
<b>Miscellaneous Funds</b>				
Nye Monument	\$384.85	\$20.83		\$405.68
Mary I. Freeman, Nursing	1,000.00	54.33	\$54.33	1,000.00
Post War Rehabilitation	222.47	12.26		234.73
Lots 451 & 452 Dillingham	2,062.92	110.42		2,173.34
Dr. Samuel M. Beale	6,488.50	402.60		6,891.10
Raymond Hamblin	783.27	41.91		825.18
Tupper Family	724.67	38.76		763.43
Stabilization Fund	1,871.87	101.16		1,973.03
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	\$13,538.55	\$782.27	\$54.33	\$14,266.49
Grand Total	\$119,161.30	\$6,417.15	\$4,850.31	\$120,728.14

## CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

1972

	Bal. 1-1-72	Income 1972	With- drawals 1972	Bal. 12-31-72
Ida Hamblin	\$359.07	\$19.51	\$20.00	\$358.58
William H. Shepardson	157.08	8.50	10.00	155.58
Edward S. Talbot	102.53	5.57	5.00	103.10
Luella L. Moores	102.76	5.58	5.00	103.34
Dr. D. B. Hannon	101.28	5.52	5.00	101.80
Wing & Tobey	1,328.20	71.90	95.00	1,305.10
Lucy Irons	183.96	9.97	15.00	178.93
Ida L. W. Pratt	101.56	5.54	5.00	102.10
Harriet Faunce	404.22	21.88		426.10
William Eaton	1,409.71	76.35		1,486.06
Mary F. Pope	381.67	20.67		402.34
Orinda Burpee	153.59	8.29		161.88
Allen Family	625.27	33.93		659.20
Charles L. Buckley	102.70	5.56		108.26
Charles Nye	270.76	14.64		285.40
William E. Kern	150.80	8.14		158.94
Grace W. Irwin	498.53	27.02		525.55
Fitz & Harlow	2,638.28	169.35		2,807.63
John H. Stone	411.91	22.78	25.00	409.69
Adele Sturgess	514.89	28.48	30.00	513.37
Ida M. French	313.12	17.31	20.00	310.43
Russell E. Tupper & Russell Tupper Jr.	280.08	15.44	5.00	290.52
Celia Clay	191.94	10.55		202.49
Frank W. Tobey	634.29	34.96		669.25
Annie T. Nye	464.66	25.11		489.77
Mary Malue	493.19	26.69		519.88
Benjamin R. Pollock	413.59	22.42	20.00	416.01
William F. Dennison	311.25	16.86	20.00	308.11
Benjamin G. Bartley	334.66	17.88	25.00	327.54
Skiffe Lot	513.05	27.44	25.00	515.49
Helen & Martin Baumgartner	153.52	8.19	8.00	153.71
Barbara Dow	788.46	42.18		830.64
Lester Parker	100.00	15.90	15.90	100.00
Hope Holway	308.84	17.09	15.00	310.93
A. J. Harmon	307.07	17.00	15.00	309.07
Jeremiah Daley	152.17	8.37		160.54
Iza Foster	518.43	27.74	25.00	521.17
Gibbs & Hoxie	207.52	11.10	10.00	208.62
Leona Farrell	205.29	10.97	10.00	206.26
Hamlen Family	205.29	10.97	10.00	206.26
Ernest & Elizabeth VanBuskirk	303.94	16.24	10.00	310.18
Andrew & Viola DeGraw	506.56	27.08	20.00	513.64
	<hr/> \$17,705.69	<hr/> \$996.67	<hr/> \$468.90	<hr/> \$18,233.46

Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE,  
Treasurer

**MT. HOPE CEMETERY  
PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS  
1972**

	Bal. 1-1-72	Div. to 12-31-72	With- drawals 1972	Div. Dep. in Sav. Acct.	Bal. 12-31-72
John A. Carlson	\$172.03	\$9.29			\$181.32
Harriet L. Hoxie	172.73	9.32			182.05
Milton B. Kerr	85.97	4.66			90.63
Eliza A. Howard	82.09	4.45			86.54
Harriet A. Parks	172.88	9.32			182.20
Theodore L. Southack	81.52	4.40			85.92
Silsby Lot	350.76	18.99			369.75
Ebenezer Chamberlain	343.08	18.57			361.65
Annie W. Chamberlain	343.08	18.57			361.65
Charles H. Chaponil	80.32	4.34			84.66
Sears-Nye Lot	343.08	18.57			361.65
George W. Harrison	343.08	18.57			361.65
Zabad Burgess	81.25	4.00			85.25
George Crocker	82.34	4.39			86.73
Boyden Lot	79.94	4.33			84.27
Louisa B. Hobson	62.75	3.37			66.12
Caroline E. Crocker	246.35	13.34			259.69
Stimpson Lot	157.27	8.49			165.76
Mt. Hope Cemetery Corp. Savings Account	1,055.13	*127.24			1,182.37
Thomas H. Chipman	200.00	11.00		*11.00	200.00
John H. Perry	200.00	11.00		*11.00	200.00
Mary E. Fish	200.00	11.00		*11.00	200.00
Minnie & Edith Jones	200.00	11.00		*11.00	200.00
Ralph C. Rich	200.00	11.00		*11.00	200.00
Est. of Wallace Morrow Sr.	128.64	6.94			135.58
	<hr/> \$5,464.29	<hr/> \$366.15		<hr/> \$55.00	<hr/> \$5,775.44

**FREEMAN CEMETERY FUND**

General Fund-Savings Account	\$1,583.27	\$84.76	\$1,668.03
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**HOXIE HOUSE****Income at House**

6313	Adult Tickets @ .35	\$2,209.55
585	Minor Tickets @ .25	146.25
1954	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .35	683.90
74	Special Group Adult Comb. @ .30	22.20
193	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .20	38.60

**Comb. Tickets Sold at Mill**

35	Special Adult Comb. @ .30	10.50
78	Adult Comb. @ .30	23.40
3953	Adult Comb. Tks. (Inc. Sp. Grp.)	1,386.55
362	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .20	72.40
	Post Cards, etc.	677.75

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Total Income	\$5,271.10
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Total Tickets Sold	9,119
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**GRIST MILL****Income at Mill**

7499	Adult Tickets @ .50	3,749.50
1029	Minor Tickets @ .25	257.25
3953	Adult Comb. (Inc. Special Grp.)	1,585.20
35	Special Grp. Adult Comb. @ .30	10.50
78	Adult Comb. @ .35	27.30
362	Minor Comb. @ .20	72.40

**Comb. Tickets Sold at Hoxie House**

1954	Adult Comb. @ .40	781.60
74	Special Group @ .35	25.90
193	Minor Tickets @ .20	38.60
	Sale of Corn Meal	4,315.00
	Sale of Post Cards, etc.	435.10

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Total Income	\$11,298.35
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Total Tickets Sold	12,956
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<b>Combined Income and Tickets Sold</b>	<b>\$16,569.45</b>	<b>22,075</b>
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Less Cash Adjustment	3.00
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Total	\$16,566.45
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CHANNING E. HOXIE,  
Treasurer

# Report of the Collector of Taxes

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## 1969 EXCISE TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$107.90
Collected	107.90

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## 1970 EXCISE TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$1,561.27
Paid After Abatement	19.80
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	\$1,581.07
Collected	\$1,471.07
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	110.00
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	\$1,581.07

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## 1971 EXCISE TAXES

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Outstanding Jan 1, 1972	\$26,476.15
Committed	34,645.33
Refunded	2,343.74
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	\$63,465.22
Collected	\$40,335.66
Abated	18,615.13
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	4,514.43
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	\$63,465.22

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## 1972 EXCISE TAXES

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Committed in 1972	\$150,757.42
Refunded	963.67
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	\$151,721.09
Collected in 1972	\$100,426.45

Abated	23,181.18
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	28,113.46
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	\$151,721.09

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### 1970 REAL ESTATE TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$5,517.00
Collected in 1972	\$5,517.00

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### 1971 REAL ESTATE TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$54,184.42
Tax Title Disclaimed	4.65
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	\$54,189.07
Collected	\$47,242.95
Abated	1,233.50
Transferred to Tax Title	550.25
Taxes In Litigation	350.30
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	4,812.07
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	\$54,189.07

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### 1972 REAL ESTATE TAXES

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Committed in 1972	\$2,369,837.25
Refunded	4,039.00
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	\$2,373,876.25
Collected	\$2,231,725.14
Abated	42,633.00
Transferred to Tax Title	3,343.50
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	96,174.61
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	\$2,373,876.25

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### 1970 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$406.00
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Abated	14.00
Collected in 1972	392.00
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	\$406.00

### 1971 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$2,276.95
Collected	2,123.50
Abated	86.80
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	66.65
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	\$2,276.95

### 1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

Committed in 1972	\$88,267.03
Refunded	339.75
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	\$88,606.78
Collected	\$84,350.90
Abated	1,598.63
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	2,657.25
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	\$88,606.78

### 1972 FARM MACHINERY EXCISE

Committed in 1972	\$123.50
Collected in 1972	\$123.50

### SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT TAXES

#### 1970 REAL ESTATE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$611.00
Collected in 1972	\$611.00

#### 1971 REAL ESTATE

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$4,781.52
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Collected in 1972	4,210.88
Abated	102.24
Taxes in Litigation	42.00
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	426.40
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	\$4,781.52

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### 1972 REAL ESTATE

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Committed in 1972	\$190,049.25
Refunded	688.50
To Be Refunded	38.50
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	\$190,776.25
Collected	\$180,093.25
Abated	4,784.75
Transferred to Tax Title	.75
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	5,897.50
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	\$190,776.25

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### 1970 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$38.60
Collected in 1972	\$38.60

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### 1971 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$195.12
Abated	2.16
Collected in 1972	192.96
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	\$195.12

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### 1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

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Committed in 1972	\$3,981.63
Refunded	27.50
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	\$4,009.13



Collected	\$3,709.75
Abated	107.38
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	192.00
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	\$4,009.13

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### 1971 WATER LIENS

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$724.50
Collected	\$525.00
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	199.50
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	\$724.50

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### 1972 WATER LIENS

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Committed in 1972	\$853.55
Collected	\$533.36
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	320.19
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	\$853.55

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### NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT 1971 REAL ESTATE TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$222.86
Collected in 1972	\$222.86

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### 1972 REAL ESTATE TAXES

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Committed in 1972	\$5,724.50
Refunded	2.25
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	\$5,726.75
Collected	\$5,592.00
Abated	33.25
Transferred to Tax Title	3.00
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	98.50
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	\$5,726.25

### 1971 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

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Outstanding Jan. 1, 1972	\$17.60
Collected in 1972	\$17.60

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### 1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

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Committed in 1972	\$287.00
Collected	\$276.25
Abated	3.50
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1972	7.25
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	\$287.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE,  
Collector of Taxes

## Report of the Town Clerk

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### BIRTHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH FOR THE YEAR — 1972

#### January:

- 20 Donna Lee Densmore, daughter to Donald James Densmore and Elizabeth Joyce (Purdy)
- 20 Matthew Chase Straut, son to Fred Edward Straut, Jr. and Bette Jane (Chase)

#### February:

- 4 Michael James Silva, son to James William Silva and Charlotte Marie (Adams)
- 11 Noel Patrick Roby, son to Mark Sidney Roby and Joanne Ellen (Walsh)
- 16 James Gregory Crocker, son to James Laban Crocker and Linda Mary (Alvezi)
- 20 Justin Matthew O'Connor, son to Michael William O'Connor and Diane Leslie (Johnson)
- 26 Kristin Hemmila, daughter to Frederic Jon Hemmila and Emily Atherton (Thew)
- 27 Kristen Marie Kingsbury, daughter to Arthur French Kingsbury III and Donna Marie (Manning)

#### March:

- 4 Gunnar James Cahoon, son to Roy James Cahoon and Susan Sumner (Robinson)
- 12 Jeffrey Thomas Bernard, son to Harold Peter Bernard and Mickie Diane (Coffman)
- 18 Jacob Daniel Spofford, son to James Roger Spofford and Marie Frances (Adams)
- 22 Gretchen Susan Amidon, daughter to Douglas Paul Amidon and Virginia Anne (Gillespie)
- 23 Jason Andrew Downing, son to Gerald Atwood Downing and Gertrude May (Upton)
- 31 Elizabeth Claire Palanza, daughter to Robert Joel Palanza and Susan Grace (Smith)
- 31 Steven Louis Thayer, son to Raymond Leon Thayer and Sheila Marie (Hourihan)

**April:**

- 29 Dwight Kenneth Freeman, Jr., son to Dwight Kenneth Freeman and Ramona Starr (Sampson)

**May:**

- 12 Ryan Nicholas McBride, son to William Patrick McBride, Jr. and Maryann (Piszczek)
- 16 Amy Elizabeth Roza, daughter to Joseph Perry Roza III and Susan Elizabeth (Irwin)
- 23 Jerry Lynch, son to Gerald Francis Lynch and Patricia Irene (Reed)
- 26 Ryan MacKenzie Costa, son to Stephen Paul Costa and Linda Elaine (Seabury)

**June:**

- 5 Rebecca Elizabeth Wood, daughter to John William Wood and Patricia Anne (Reynolds)
- 10 Abigail Cullity, daughter to Walter Daniel Cullity and Melissa Lou (Clark)
- 12 Tammy Lynn Plotczyk, daughter to Lawrence Richard Plotczyk and Rita Ann (Melvin)
- 16 Gordon James Bryden, son to William Gordon Bryden, Jr. and Susan Kristine (Taylor)

**July:**

- 5 Roger Earl Cahoon, Jr., son to Roger Earl Cahoon and Marleen Mary (Shaughnessy)
- 7 Andrew Miller Lake Lee 4th, son to Andrew Miller Lake Lee 3rd and Sandra Elaine (Mooney)
- 10 James Harold Parks, son to John Henry Parks and Sharon Elaine (Kalweit)
- 10 Christopher Alan Newman, son to David William Newman and Gloria Elaine (Myers)
- 14 Marc Charles Comtois, son to Ronald Maurice Comtois and Mary Eleanor (Lucier)
- 15 Aileen Mary Canning, daughter to David Paul Canning and Diane Marie (Lehmann)
- 16 David Andrew Carr, son to Robert Augustus Carr and Dianne Frances (Doucette)
- 17 Jerry Herbert Martin, son to Michael Steven Martin and Regina Anne (Graney)

**July:**

- 23 Kristine Renee Caron, daughter to Roger Eugene Caron and Maxime (Kenner)
- 24 Daniel Craig Jenkins, son to Randolph Craig Jenkins and Pamela Joyce (Reynolds)

**August:**

- 4 Jeremy Anthony Denaro, son to John Thomas Denaro and Carol Ann (Hackett)
- 4 Kimberly Ann Maki, daughter to Eben Nicholas Maki and Joan Marie (Ottensmann)
- 14 George Lee Swift, son to Robin George Swift and Lillian Dorothy (Boyd)
- 19 Adam Hawley Earle, son to Dennis Alan Earle and Hillis (Hawley)
- 21 Erika Ann Thulin, daughter to David Charles Thulin and Mary (Schubauer)

**September:**

- 2 Sean Lachlan Tracey, son to Kevin Thomas Tracey and Martha Catharine (Dickert)
- 5 Bobic Jano Paulo Yuri VanderPyl, son to Ross Allan VanderPyl and Jeanie May (Valkovec)
- 7 Dana Anthony Bonjorno, son to Anthony Thomas Bonjorno and Carol Wright (Seamans)
- 7 Heather Maude Ryan, daughter to Henry Charles Ryan and Sandra Theresa (Prete)
- 8 Amanda Leigh Collings, daughter to Warren Stephen Collings and Karen Hoag (Larson)
- 20 Jared Jonathan Forth, son to Ronald Irving Forth and Daryl Jeanne (Young)
- 20 Lori Ann Wennerstrom, daughter to Glen Reed Wennerstrom and Arlene Margaret (Campbell)
- 21 Ellen Jane Eldridge, daughter to Norman William Eldridge and Nancy Ellen (Hokanson)
- 30 Cynthia Ann DiBuono, daughter to Michael Anthony DiBuono and Mary Louise (Asbell)

**October:**

- 6 Lance Matthew Feeley, son to Guy Patrick Feeley and Janice (Baker)
- 12 Laurie Anne Savery, daughter to Leonard Hunt Savery and Donna Marie (Garney)



**October:**

- 20 Jonathan Paul Miller, son to Paul Francis Miller and Sally Anne (Militello)
- 31 James Robert Fair, son to James Joseph Fair, Jr. and Eileen Marie (Gallivan)

**November:**

- 7 Emily Jane Stanford, daughter to Bruce Harvey Stanford and Sandralee Mary (Belmore)
- 12 David Arthur Provencher, son to David Albert Provencher and Heraldine (Hildebrand)
- 16 Julie Ann Kann, daughter to Karl David Kann and Mary Louise (Rasch)
- 25 Robert Brewster Furlan III, son to Robert Brewster Furlan and Victoria Jean (Volker)
- 27 Lori Elizabeth Cahoon, daughter to Richard Edward Cahoon and Christina (Crowe)

**December:**

- 2 Kathleen Marie Koloski, daughter to James Michael Koloski and Sharon Marie (Ross)
- 9 Sasha Louise Perry, daughter to Roy Roderick Perry, Jr. and Jana Louise (Driscoll)

**MARRIAGES RECORDED IN SANDWICH  
FOR THE YEAR — 1972**

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**January:**

- 23 Amado John Guzman of East Sandwich, Mass. and Patricia Zwirblia (Cross) of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 27 Lawrence R. Platczyk of Falmouth, Mass. and Rita A. Melvin of Sandwich, Mass.
- 29 Thomas E. Irving of East Sandwich, Mass. and Ethel Louise Bankston of Hyannis, Mass.

**February:**

- 5 F. Gregory White of Buzzards Bay, Mass. and Linda Joyce Mennett of Sandwich, Mass.
- 5 John J. McKenes of Worcester, Mass. and Elaine Pearsons of Bourne, Mass.
- 11 Nathaniel M. Mendell of Bourne, Mass. and Barbara G. William (Joyce) of Bourne, Mass.
- 17 Charles F. Beckett of Sandwich, Mass. and Adelaide T. Babbitt (Texiera) of Wareham, Mass.

**March:**

- 15 Milton L. Hoxie of South Sandwich, Mass. and Susan E. Eddy Dupuis of Buzzards Bay, Mass.

**April:**

- 8 Peter Anthony Russell of Sandwich, Mass. and Kathleen Murray of Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 Arthur Francis Gorman of Fitchburg, Mass. and Shirley Elaine Aubuchon (Norton) of Fitchburg, Mass.
- 29 Herbert R. Polson of Sandwich, Mass. and Cathryn Jones of Cummaquid, Mass.

**May:**

- 6 John G. Eastman of Brewster, Mass. and Kristen G. Prendergast of South Orleans, Mass.
- 8 Randall O. Downing of Sandwich, Mass. and Diane Rigazio of Sagamore, Mass.
- 12 Raymond T. Cahoon of Sandwich, Mass. and Deborah A. Shay of Hyannisport, Mass.

**May:**

- 26 William Costa of Sandwich, Mass. and Claudia Davis of Sandwich, Mass.
- 26 Gary A. Flynn of Sandwich, Mass. and Kathleen S. Mahoney of Hyannis, Mass.
- 27 David L. Burke of Forestdale, Mass. and Kathy Ellen Richardson of Hyannis, Mass.

**June:**

- 10 Dale D. Butland of Sagamore, Mass. and Susan K. Jones of Sandwich, Mass.
- 10 Donald Francis Raposa of Tiverton, R.I. and Janice Ann Smith of Sandwich, Mass.
- 10 Philip A. Unger of Sandwich, Mass. and Sarah Peltz of Sandwich, Mass.
- 20 Owen MacNutt of Sandwich, Mass. and Carol Larsen Bur-saw (Larsen) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 24 Michael Bjorklund of Sandwich, Mass. and Kathleen Char-pentier of New Bedford, Mass.
- 24 Robert Nelson Boudreau of Seekonk, Mass. and Joyce Helen Sibson of Sandwich, Mass.
- 24 George W. Rossiter of Revere, Mass. and Janice K. Kapinos of Sandwich, Mass.
- 24 John W. LeGacy of Sandwich, Mass. and Kathleen M. Heenan of Worcester, Mass.
- 25 David Bryant Gendron of West Wareham, Mass. and Val-arie Jean Huntoon of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 20 Allan D. Vikjord, Jr. of East Sandwich, Mass. and Marjorie Ann Manley of Dartmouth, Mass.

**July:**

- 1 Donald Joseph Karl, II of Alexandria, Va. and Louise Marie Agen of Sarasota, Florida.
- 15 David Anthony Quinn, Jr. of Beverly, Mass. and Colleen Claire Rohan of Sandwich, Mass.
- 26 Robert Lee Clark of Wareham, Mass. and Cheryl Lee Whitney of Sandwich, Mass.
- 28 Dan B. Gaylord of Sagamore, Mass. and Judith A. Peck of Sandwich, Mass.

**July:**

- 29 Donald H. Regal of Wellesley, Mass. and Virginia M. Davidson (Brooks) of Randolph, Mass.
- 29 James Cervantes of Sandwich, Mass. and Carolyn Irene Peters of Brookline, Mass.

**August:**

- 12 James A. Fournier of Sandwich, Mass. and Deborah A. Jenkins of Forestdale, Mass.
- 12 William R. Hall of East Sandwich, Mass. and Sherry Lane Pattee of Dennisport, Mass.
- 14 Paul DePesa of Sandwich, Mass. and Katherine Bonner of Sacramento, California.
- 16 Charles R. Griffin of Quincy, Mass. and Norma D. Ryan (Nickerson) of Quincy, Mass.
- 23 Mervin C. Hardwick, Jr. of South Sandwich, Mass. and Mary E. Eccleston (Gray) of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 26 George T. Nugent of Bath, Maine and Luanne Haley of Hopkinton, Mass.
- 26 Arthur L. Fairbanks, Jr. of Sandwich, Mass. and Irene Arriola of Brewster, Mass.

**September:**

- 2 Jeffrey James Burton of Monument Beach, Mass. and Josephine Helen Russell of Sandwich, Mass.
- 9 Robert H. Goodwin, Jr. of East Sandwich, Mass. and Susan L. Cutler of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 9 Gerard Ralph DeNapoli of Waltham, Mass. and Valara Elizabeth Connor of Sandwich, Mass.
- 16 Roger F. Ruggles of Alexandria, Va. and Bonnie S. Hendricksen of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 23 Jeremiah F. Perry of Sagamore, Mass. and Margaret A. Mooney of Sandwich, Mass.

**October:**

- 7 Chester Lee Cerie of Greenwich, Conn. and Patricia Eileen O'Connell of Sandwich, Mass.
- 7 George Vladimir d'Arbeloff of Boston, Mass. and Susan DeForest Granger of Sandwich, Mass.



**October:**

- 14 Joseph Martenuk of Irvington, N.J. and Jeanette Wolf of Newark, N.J.
- 14 John Francis Wolsey, Jr. of Sandwich, Mass. and Doris Yvonne Boulanger (Jette) of Swansea, Mass.
- 27 Franklin G. DiMaria of Sandwich, Mass. and Chong Chong Suk of Sandwich, Mass.
- 27 Henry J. Datel of South Sandwich, Mass. and Susan Morley Vassallo of Hyannis, Mass.

**November:**

- 4 Gary Foster Willoughby of East Sandwich, Mass. and Anna Marie Karras of Yarmouth, Mass.
- 11 Robert A. Cutler of Waltham, Mass. and June Reed of Sandwich, Mass.
- 11 James William Milam of Morgantown, W. Virginia and Julie Ann Oliver of Morgantown, W. Virginia.
- 24 Fred Lehtonen of Sandwich, Mass. and Beverly C. James of Sandwich, Mass.

**December:**

- 2 Joseph T. DiPietro of Sandwich, Mass. and Ann Marie Perry of Sagamore, Mass.
- 14 Albert Leo Aucoin, Jr. of Brookline, Mass. and Edith Alice Wilharm of Sandwich, Mass.



**DEATHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH  
FOR THE YEAR — 1972**

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	<b>Yrs.</b>	<b>Mos.</b>	<b>Days</b>
<b>January:</b>			
2 Guy Fuller Purrier	67	9	29
5 Russell William Carroll	75	6	11
15 Nannie Saxon (Burrell)	93	1	14
20 Elizabeth Ellen Clark (Manson)	90	2	19
23 Joanne MacGahie	6	3	7
23 Mary Lou MacGahie	11	-	13
23 Eric Harwood	3	4	21
23 Scott J. McGahie	5	1	16
23 Katherine L. Harwood (McGahie)	33	10	—
<b>February:</b>			
3 Roy Bousfield	62	5	27
3 Ann Rose (Ewer)	104	4	—
<b>March:</b>			
9 William McLaughlin	45	8	18
14 Mary Holl	103	11	29
15 John M. Callanan	—	3	—
<b>April:</b>			
4 Francis A. MacMillan	61	—	—
9 Anna Theresa Alvezi	87	10	23
10 Winifred M. Broderon	92	4	5
14 John F. Ewer	83	10	28
21 Jacob D. Spofford	—	1	3
29 Laurence Alexander Doyle	39	2	19
<b>May:</b>			
4 Albert Heath Hamblin	50	10	19
6 Ellsworth A. Hawkes	76	4	7
14 Joseph Perry Roza	74	4	6
24 Charles C. Dalton	65	2	20
27 Frank Garofolo	84	—	—
28 Dagny Uggerholt (Henriksen)	74	5	3
29 John B. Nash	86	3	20
29 Walter Edward Penrose	76	8	1

		Yrs.	Mos.	Days
<b>June:</b>				
1	Cora Belle Clark (Cobb)	78	1	21
13	Virginia Eleanor Mullaney (Stowe)	48	—	—
15	Hazel French (Blake)	81	9	25
16	Thelma Drew (Phillips)	62	4	4
20	Grace Wennerstrom (Donovan)	75	8	19
23	Charles Campbell, Jr.	14	2	16
24	Henry Clifton Gibbs	77	3	17
29	Hilma E. Soderberg (Nilssen)	79	3	12
<b>July:</b>				
12	Jennie Blanche McLaney	93	8	2
14	Julia Waters (Wheeler)	85	8	29
16	Charlotte L. Collins	70	8	18
19	Dorothy LeCount (Sattealee)	67	7	25
26	Juliette Wolsey (Grondin)	55	9	26
30	Walter Price	72	—	—
<b>August:</b>				
3	Eva Ryan	89	—	—
5	Addie Jackson (Robinson)	86	4	11
6	Helena Mary McConn (Murphy)	65	—	—
18	Arthur Theodore Soderberg	57	5	22
<b>September:</b>				
2	Katherine Bernardette Connarton (Sullivan)	88	8	17
3	Dennis Martin Stack	31	2	3
10	John Haugh	79	0	5
15	William Wood Rideout	84	11	12
22	Francis Wynn	71	9	13
<b>October:</b>				
2	Ernest A. Gagner	69	2	29
5	William A. Winsor	93	0	20
16	Dorothea Antonia Harmsen (Helfert)	88	9	10
17	Grace M. Bearse (Chandler)	87	8	15

		Yrs.	Mos.	Days
<b>October:</b>				
22	Theresa Balboni (Ferioli)	94	0	8
30	Axel T. Magnusson	77	—	—
<b>November:</b>				
3	Margaret Jane Shaw (McLean	92	3	29
4	Natalie Sullivan (Gould)	81	5	13
15	Mary Francis Haines (Lovell)	95	2	28
20	Florendo Sgarzi	85	6	19
24	Alice Cecilia Kelleher (Montague)	91	8	29
29	Florence E. Armstrong	72	10	25
<b>December:</b>				
15	Faith Livingston	49	11	1
23	Robert Koehler	86	10	22
29	Greta Widdell	68	8	14
29	Bertha May Burke (DeLong)	74	4	8

## DIVISION OF FISHERIES &amp; GAME

## 1972 Licenses Issued in 1972

Resident Citizen Fishing	136	@	\$5.25	\$714.00
	2	@	8.25	16.50
Resident Citizen Sporting	1	@	13.50	13.50
	87	@	8.25	717.75
Resident Citizen Hunting	86	@	5.25	451.50
	60	@	8.25	495.00
Resident Cit. Minor Fishing	22	@	3.25	71.50
Resident Cit. Female Fishing	34	@	4.25	144.50
Resident Minor Trapping	NONE			
Resident Citizen Trapping	2	@	8.75	17.50
Special Non-Resident Fishing	38	@	5.25	199.50
Non-Resident Cit. Fishing	9	@	9.75	87.75
Non-Resident Cit. Hunting	1	@	20.25	20.25
	3	@	35.25	105.75
Duplicate Licenses	4	@	.50	2.00
	3	@	1.00	3.00
Archery Deer Stamps	7	@	5.10	35.70
	4	@	1.10	4.40
Resident Cit. Sporting (Free)	39			
Resident Cit. Fishing (Free)	2			
Military (Free)	24			
Totals	564			\$3,100.10
Less Town Clerk's Fees				121.35
Remitted to Division of Fisheries & Game				\$2,978.75

**DOG LICENSES****Dog Licenses Issued in 1972**

316	Male	@	\$3.00	\$948.00
65	Female	@	6.00	390.00
261	Spayed Female	@	3.00	783.00
10	Kennel	@	10.00	100.00
2	Kennel	@	50.00	100.00

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\$2,321.00

Less Town Clerk's Fees 228.90

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Remitted to County Treasurer \$2,092.10**1971 Dog Licenses Issued in 1972**

6	Male	@	\$3.00	\$18.00
3	Female	@	6.00	18.00
8	Spayed Female	@	3.00	24.00

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\$60.00

Less Town Clerk's Fees 5.95

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Remitted to County Treasurer \$54.05

Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE,

Town Clerk



## Jury List

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Adolfson, William F.	Retired
Alvezi, Walter, Sr.	Clerk
Arnold, Douglas J.	Security & Service
Bazzinotti, James A.	Salesman
Beauchemin, David H.	Landscaper
Brady, Bernard	Observer
Bridges, Robert W.	Builder
Bryden, Willard O.	Insurance
Burke, William A.	Builder
Capen, Richard M.	Postal Clerk
Caron, Gerald E.	Electrician
Carpenter, Allen R.	Retired
Cook, Richard J.	Mechanic
Coolbrith, Miriam E.	Housewife
Coppola, Victor F.	Retired
Dwyer, Earl L.	Restaurant Owner
Earle, Fred M.	Oil Serviceman
Earle, James O.	Oil Serviceman
Fagnant, Walter T.	Plumber
Fekkes, Harry	Retired
Fox, Richard	Reporter
Granger, Philip D.	Foreman
Jacinto, John W.	Retired
Jacinto, Joseph E.	Chauffeur
Leino, Carl E.	Retired
Lumpkin, Bertram R., Jr.	Designer
Magnant, Claire C.	Housewife
Norcross, Alden S.	Maintenance
Ohman, John A. P.	Engineer
Osgood, Edward W., Jr.	Civil Def. Dir.
Ostrander, Raymond H.	Retired
Paltrineri, Anthony	Retired

Schmelzer, Russell A.	Insurance
Skelly, Blanche L.	Housewife
Sullivan, Ann C.	Teacher
Terhune, Wallace I.	Retired
Torrey, Stanley A.	Real Estate
Warren, William A.	Retired
White, Robert L.	Mechanic
Winslow, John H.	Maintenance

# Report of the Planning Board

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## To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Town of Sandwich is growing rapidly. Throughout the town, new roads, new subdivisions, and new business structures and homes are appearing. New adult faces and new school children are evident in Sandwich—a clear indication that numbers of people are coming to live here and that many more can be expected. It is evident that most come because they find Sandwich an attractive place in which to live, confirming the good judgment of those of us who arrived earlier.

But all this development has made heavy work for the planning board. Each meeting lasts for three or four hours and there are usually three of these each month. We note with approval an increasing number of citizen-visitors at the board meetings, individuals who are concerned that the development of Sandwich be orderly and well regulated, preserving as far as possible the character, the natural resources and the historic heritage of the town.

Alarmed by an increasing number of subdivisions in the General Use District, a sizeable number of residents suggested that the Planning Board present an article to Town Meeting for rezoning the area to reduce the density of population in new subdivisions which are served neither with town water nor with town sewers. This proposal seems largely responsible for the unprecedented flood of preliminary subdivision plans submitted before the effective date of the amendment which raised the minimum lot size in the General Use District to 40,000 square feet. Although it is not generally understood by townspeople, the State statute provides that the date on which a subdivision plan is submitted guarantees to the subdivider the right to develop both his plan and his property for seven years under the zoning and subdivision regulations prevailing at the time his preliminary plan is submitted. Because of this statute the planning board was required to approve the plans for half-acre lots submitted on or before November 9, 1972 provided they conformed to all existing regulations then in effect. In this

way, over 2,500 new lots or homesites were offered for Planning Board approval for 1972.

It is a sobering thought that the Town of Sandwich with less than 2,000 dwellings may soon have enough approved building lots to treble the number of dwellings (and to treble the population) when the houses can be constructed and buyers found for them. What effect will such development have on the quality and quantity of our water supply? Will the clearing of land for subdivision roads and for new dwellings fill our dump with trees, stumps and brush? Will the activity of bull-dozers in shaping new roads and in digging new cellar-holes cause erosion and gulying, resulting in the death of more trees and other vegetation, the partial filling of small ponds and wetlands? Will, in fact, this mounting development seriously change the character of Sandwich, the quality of living in the town, or spoil the "rural seaside charm" of this part of Cape Cod?

These are the questions to which the planning board has been addressing itself over the past several months. It came to several conclusions and, among others took the following steps:

1. It recognized that it was essential in a town undergoing rapid development that the Conservation Commission mount a commensurate open space program to provide wildlife habitat, access to ponds for fresh water swimming, and forested open space in order that increased numbers of residents could continue to enjoy the traditional, simple, out-door recreational and educational experiences. We presented this concept to the Conservation Commission and offered the Planning Board's assistance in mounting an open space effort to implement the conservation master plan. We felt about this precisely as one of our senior citizens did who wrote "The house is on fire. Don't study it. Put it out." The result was a series of five special meetings of the Conservation Commission, the Planning Board and the Selectmen which resulted in open space proposals in three parts for consideration by the voters at the 1973 annual town meeting. We hope the voters will approve these recommendations.

2. The Planning Board knew that many residents—voters and taxpayers—favored the idea of an additional historic district. It took the plan to the Selectmen urging the appointment of an historic district study committee and when the committee was



formed it named one of its board members to provide planning board liaison with the study committee.

3. The Planning Board proposed and the voters approved an amendment to the by-law reducing the permitted density of multi-family construction.

4. The Planning Board has had numerous discussions concerning the sign by-law and has appointed a subcommittee including interested townspeople to review the sign regulations and to bring in a proposal for by-law amendments, including a provision that would gradually eliminate non-conforming signs from the town. This committee is expected to report later in 1973.

The Planning Board takes this opportunity to express its gratitude to Mr. Philip Herr of Herr Associates for his continued enthusiasm in providing professional assistance with the complex and difficult planning problems faced by an amateur, unpaid board. Throughout the year he has made himself available to telephone inquiries, has submitted opinions and first drafts of proposals, and has made numerous trips to Sandwich for consultations with the board.

The Board also wishes to express its great appreciation for the help given by Town Engineer William C. Taylor, who has reviewed all plans presented to the Board, and has provided sound evaluation and constructive suggestions for design modifications and improvements. These plans are originally drawn by civil engineers employed by property owners and, obviously, their primary interest *must* be in providing the best plan for the land developer. Conversely, the Planning Board Engineer's paramount interest is to insure that these plans are designed and implemented so that the land can be reasonably developed by the property owner, but not to the detriment of present and future residents and taxpayers of our town. With the availability of Mr. Taylor's time and competence, this long range Planning Board objective now has become a reality.

In addition to its 24 regular meetings, the Planning Board scheduled 12 special meetings of which five were held with the Selectmen, the Conservation Commission, and Planning Consultant Herr. Two Public Hearings were held on major by-law amendments and one was held to consider changes in the Subdivision Regulations. Twelve Public Hearings were held to consider sub-



division plans comprising 419 lots. The Board endorsed seventy plans—approval not required. Thirty-three preliminary subdivision plans were submitted to the Board during the year. More than seven plans, submitted to the Board of Appeals, were studied and recommendations made on them by the Planning Board. Questionnaires were designed and sent to residents south of the Mid-Cape Highway and replies were tabulated and subsequently used by the Board in recommending zoning changes.

Our Executive Secretary, Mrs. Harold I. Palmer, has kept the minutes, files, correspondence and plans of the Board. Her efforts are gratefully acknowledged, as is the interest and cooperation of other Town officers and boards.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. BRYDEN, Chairman

JOHN A. COE

EDWARD W. OSGOOD, JR.

CHESTER E. CROSS

MIRIAM R. WILHARM

## Report of the Police Department

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Sandwich

As Chief of Police of the Town of Sandwich, I respectfully submit my annual report for the year 1972.

Following four years of controversy, the new police station has been approved, and construction started on a site next to the present Fire and Police Building.

Occupancy is expected in the late spring of 1973. The new facility will consist of a duty room, communications center, Sergeant's Office, Chief's Office, conference room, locker room, matron's room, four male detention cells, two female/juvenile detention rooms and a three car garage. The building will have a full basement and an expandable second floor with full dormer.

I would like to thank the citizens of Sandwich, personally, and for all members of the department, for approving the station. It will be a credit to the department and to the town.

A new base radio was installed in the spring of 1972, replacing the original radio, purchased in the 1950's. At the same time of its installment, a "scrambler" system was installed, at the station and in all five cruisers, making important radio messages unintelligible to radio eavesdroppers. Since most criminals today, listen to the police frequencies, the system adds to the security of police operations.

Two additional portable radios were purchased in 1972, allowing us to have constant radio communications with all on duty personnel regardless of their assignment.

The department's two senior patrolmen, Clyde S. Gill and E. Bartlett McKay were both promoted to Sergeant in July, following high scores in the State Civil Service Examination.

Following the trend of increased education for police officers, the Town has adopted a college incentive pay program for regular members of the department. The program provides for base

salary increases for the achievement of stipulated educational levels. Four officers became eligible in 1972, and we anticipate another two in 1973.

Two members of the department completed the required eight week basic training class for new police officers. Sergeant E. Bartlett McKay completed the three week Command Training Institute at Babson College, and Ptl. James Swift was certified as a Breathalyzer Operator following training at the State Police Academy in Framingham.

Keeping with the department's policy of strict motor vehicle law enforcement, 1039 citations were issued in 1972 compared with 905 in 1971. Motor vehicles accidents investigated numbered 151 in 1972 in comparison with 171 in 1971 and 186 in 1970.

Arrests in 1972 totaled 167 compared with 149 in 1971 and 51 in 1970.

The department has increased its efforts in checking vacant homes, stores and businesses. 13,259 inspections were made of vacant homes, compared with 6,217 in 1971. If you do not now notify your police department when you leave your home vacant, even if only for a few days, please do so. We will check your home frequently while you are away. As well as a check on burglaries, police checks have found water leaks, heater breakdowns and fires. It is a service your taxes provide. Please take advantage of it.

The department's five cruisers covered 322,799 miles while on patrol in 1972 compared with 279,474 in 1971. The cruisers used \$13,471.62 worth of gasoline during the year.

Breaks reported numbered 73, 9 business breaks, 62 house breaks. Breaks increased slightly over 1971's 66. As noted in the past three years, the breaks into summer homes have decreased, while the breaks into year round homes have increased. Business breaks decreased in 1972 over 1971, from 21 to 9, while house breaks increased from 38 to 64.

The larceny of building materials from new construction sites neared epidemic proportions in late 1972. Shingles, lumber, tools - even bath tubs and bowls were stolen. It would be of great assistance to the police if citizens who observe suspicious per-

sons or vehicles around building sites would report it to the police department.

As in most areas, violent crime has visited Sandwich in 1972. Two armed, and one unarmed robberies were reported to the department. All were cleared by investigation, two by arrests and one by issuance of warrants against a suspect who cannot be located.

The Police Department's revenues for the year amounted to 1,275.25. This money, turned in to the Town Treasurer, comes from pistol permits, Firearms ID cards and Dealer's licenses, bicycle license plates and copies of accident reports sold to insurance companies and attorneys.

I would like to thank the Selectmen for the assistance they have given the department during the past year. I would also like to thank the Fire Department, the Police Building Committee and all other town departments and boards, the State Police and the Sheriff's Department for the excellent cooperation given during the years.

Most of all, I would like to thank you, the citizens of Sandwich, for the excellent assistance and cooperation you have shown the department in 1972.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT D. WHEARTY, JR.  
Chief of Police



## Charges and Motor Vehicle Violations

During the past year 896 persons were subjects of investigations on complaints of crime or violation of motor vehicle laws, mostly by this department as a unit, sometimes with assistance from or to the Massachusetts State Police or other law enforcement agencies.

758 of these persons were adult males. There were 91 adult females and 47 juveniles, both male and female.

A total of 1,003 charges were investigated by the department and were disposed of as follows:

### Motor Vehicles Violations

	No Comp. Issued	Guilty	Nolo	Not Guilty	Pending	Dismissed
Larceny over \$100.00	0	9	0	0	1	1
Arrested for Barnstable PD—1						
Arrested for Yarmouth PD—1						
Larceny less than \$100.00	0	3	0	0	1	0
No court action—9						
Arrested for Falmouth PD—1						
Arrested for Barnstable PD—2						
Armed Robbery	0	1	0	0	1	1
Unarmed Robbery	0	0	0	0	2	0
Assault with a dangerous weapon	0	1	0	0	1	1
Possession of a dangerous weapon	0	2	0	0	0	1
Assault and battery	0	1	0	0	7	1
Being present where a narcotic drug is found	0	0	0	3	0	0
Sale of a narcotic drug	0	0	0	0	0	1
Possession with intent to sell a narcotic drug	0	0	0	0	0	1
Possession of a narcotic drug	0	1	0	0	0	1
Possession of a harmful drug	0	1	0	0	0	0
Possession of a Class D controlled substance—Marijuana	0	9	0	0	0	3



## Possession of a Class D controlled substance,

Marijuana, with the intent to sell	0	1	0	0	0	0
Violation of the illegitimate child act	0	0	0	0	1	0
Breaking and entering in the daytime	0	1	0	0	0	0
Breaking and entering in the nighttime	0	5	0	0	2	0
Receiving stolen property	0	0	0	0	3	0
Concealing stolen property	0	0	0	0	0	0

## Arrested for Boston PD—1

## Minor in possession of

alcoholic beverage	0	21	5	0	0	0
Malicious destruction to property	0	8	0	0	0	0
Trespassing	0	3	3	0	0	0

## Violation of Town of Sandwich By-Law

Loitering	0	0	2	2	0	0
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## Violation of Town of Sandwich By-Law

Profanity	0	3	0	0	0	0
Disturbing the peace	0	0	0	2	0	0
Resisting arrest	0	2	0	0	0	0
Disorderly person	0	3	0	6	0	0
Drunk	0	50	0	11	2	2

Illegal disposal of rubbish	0	1	0	0	0	0
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Making harrasing telephone calls	0	1	0	0	0	0
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## Present in liquor establishment 1 hour

after closing time	0	2	0	2	0	0
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Escapee from a state hospital	0	0	0	0	0	0
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## Returned to Taunton State Hospital—3

Non-support	0	0	0	0	0	0
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## Arrested for Fall River—2

## Arrested for Boston—1

Fugitive from Justice	0	0	0	0	0	0
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## Arrested for Barnstable PD—1

Run-a-way	0	1	0	0	0	1
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False bomb report	0	1	0	0	0	0
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Illegal entry onto land used for the propagation of fish	0	4	0	0	0	0
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Possession of short lobsters	0	1	0	0	0	1
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The following charges are all motor vehicle violations.

	No comp. issued	Guilty	Nolo	Not Guilty	Pending	Dismissed	R. M. V. Action	Warnings
Speeding	6	341	30	0	41	2	55	373
Passing, view obstructed	0	16	4	0	6	0	2	11
Stop sign	1	33	2	0	2	0	3	67
Red light	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	17
Failing to yield	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leaving unattended motor vehicle, running	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
No registration in possession	0	33	5	1	5	1	7	12
No license in possession	0	29	1	0	3	0	7	14
Operating with no license	1	8	1	0	3	0	0	0
Operating after license revoked	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Operating after license suspended	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0
Operating after right to operate revoked	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Operating in violation of license revoked	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle after license revoked	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0
Unauthorized use of a Motor Vehicle	0	11	0	0	1	0	0	0
No visible evidence of vehicle registration	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	1
Unregistered motor vehicle	2	3	6	0	4	2	1	0
Uninsured motor vehicle	2	2	2	2	4	4	1	0
Allowing a uninsured motor vehicle to be operated	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Allowing a unregistered motor vehicle to be operated	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Towing an uninsured motor vehicle	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Attaching plates other than those issued	0	0	2	0	5	2	1	0
Defective equipment	0	20	4	0	5	0	0	5

No valid inspection sticker	0	15	3	0	14	0	2	5
Improper starting, stopping or backing	0	10	4	0	6	0	2	8
Leaving the scene of accident—								
Property Damage	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	1
Operating to endanger	4	13	3	0	6	0	0	2
Operating under the influence of liquor	0	12	0	8	1	2	0	0
Operating under the influence of drugs	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
No cover on load of sand or gravel	0	2	5	0	0	0	3	2
Failing to slow at intersection	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	6
Crossing median	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Failing to operate within marked lanes	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Failing to keep to the right of the road	1	5	0	1	0	0	0	1
Following too close	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2
Failing to keep to the right of a traffic island	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Failing to stop on signal from a police officer	0	5	1	2	2	0	0	0
Impeded operation of a Motor Vehicle	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	6
Passing stopped school bus	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	2
Operating without headlights	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Allowing an improper person to operate	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Making unnecessary noise with motor vehicle	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Passing on the right	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	3
No red flag on over- length load	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Giving false name to a police officer	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0

Allowing another person to use operators license	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Failing to give proper signal before turning	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Passing in an intersection	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Backing on an exit ramp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Improper displaying of a registration plate	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Obstructing traffic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Failing to stop for a Railroad Signal in operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Many persons other than those listed above were involved in investigations of crimes or Motor Vehicle violations and cleared of involvement before court action was initiated.

Total fines imposed through the courts for 1972 cases—  
\$11,285.00.

53 years, 10 months and 2 days in confinement, probation and continuances for disposition handed down by the various courts. All of the confinement was in the form of suspended sentences. Many juvenile cases continued for disposition at a later date.

The following tally of 1972 activities should complete the picture of departmental activity for the year.

Complaints investigated and reports made		1707
Cases closed	1519	
Cases open—mostly larcenies and destruction of property	188	
House breaks investigated		58
Summer homes	21	
Year round homes	37	
Breaking and entering Business establishments		9
Instances of theft reported or discovered		165
Reported value of property stolen	\$67,071.41	
Larceny cases closed and property recovered		43
Value of property recovered	\$48,953.41	
Instances of property reported lost		44
Reported value of lost property	\$463.00	



Lost property returned to owners		26
Value of found property	\$1,679.00	
Cases of destruction of property by persons		47
Reported value of property damaged or destroyed	\$6,097.00	
Cases of destruction to property closed		4
Amount repaired or reimbursed	\$336.60	
Cases remaining active	43	
Motor Vehicle violations booked		1039
Court action including motor vehicle arrests	529	
Registry action and warnings issued	510	
Automobile accidents reported and investigated		164
Number of persons involved	316	
Number of persons killed	2	
Number of persons injured	45	
Number of vehicles involved	248	
Accidents involving property damage only	155	
Hit and run accidents	10	
Accident involving injury to persons	33	
Value of property damage caused from accidents	\$109,616.00	
Firearms permits to carry issued		116
Firearms identification cards issued		46
Firearms dealers permits issued		6
Automobile transfers filed		919
Class 1	280	
Class 2	639	
Animals killed on the highway		31
Assistance to:		
Ambulance	260	
Elderly	68	
Fire department	99	
Stranded motorists	257	
Other law enforcement agencies	139	
Total assistance rendered		839
Transportation furnished:		
Doctors	11	
Hospital	13	
Routine	103	



State Hospitals	6	
Total transportation furnished		133
Parking violations issued		131
Defective equipment tags issued		144
Natural deaths investigated		6
Bicycle registrations issued	"	49
Prowler complaints investigated		39
Vacant houses checked on request and winter check of summer homes		13,259
Doors and windows found open as result of nightly and winter check		1286
Run-a-way children reported and/or located		17
Licenses suspended or revoked by Registry of Motor Vehicles		32
Licenses returned by Registry of Motor Vehicles		12
Burglar alarms received and answered, all false, except two		239
Crank calls received		33
Instances of disturbances reported		43
Messages delivered		114
Missing persons reported and/or located		32
Dog complaints received at station— answered or referred to dog officer		1539
Stolen cars reported		3
Stolen cars recovered		11
Automobiles removed from the highway for various reasons		69
Summonses and warrants served for various courts and police departments		192
Cases of bad checks investigated		31
Trips to various courts by members of the department		156
Calls received and checks made for ice safety		30
Radar patrol at various times by members of the department		184
Requests for housechecks received		316
Routine traffic and Police Department operations for year 1972		69,223
Radio transmissions received or sent from station		29,987
Miles travelled by vehicles of Police Department		322,799

## Board of Fire Engineers

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**Board of Selectmen,  
Town Hall,  
Sandwich, Mass.**

Gentlemen:

The Annual Report of the Sandwich Fire Department for the year 1972 is submitted herewith.

Following is a breakdown of alarms and related activities of the department during the past year.

Building fires (approx. loss \$92,675)	32
Car fires (approx. loss \$11,380)	25
Woods and grass fires (approx. 9 acres)	26
Dump fires	2
Miscellaneous fires	9
Rescue calls	7
Smoke investigations	42
Other investigations	29
Mutual aid	10
Automatic alarms	16
False alarms	8
Ambulance calls	260
Gas & oil washdowns	25
Oil slicks investigated	1
Oil burner inspections	97
Cellars pumped	185

The continuing rapid growth of the town is a major concern as it relates to providing efficient and adequate fire protection. In the five year period January 1967 through December 1972, the value of new building, exclusive of the Canal Electric Plant, totals over 21 million dollars. During this same period 836 new dwellings have been built. In the last year alone value of new building totaled over 7 million dollars and involved construction of 254 dwellings, a rate of almost five dwellings a week.

With this continued acceleration of building, the Board of Fire Engineers believe that 24 hour coverage at the Sandwich station by a nucleus of permanent fire fighters is not only warranted but necessary if adequate fire protection is to be afforded. The Engineers have therefore included in the budget an amount to cover the appointment of three additional permanent men effective July 1, 1973. The addition of these men will make possible 24 hour coverage by four men at the headquarters station.

With the completion of the new police facility, and with 24 hour coverage, the Engineers recommend that fire department communications be handled by fire department personnel. The town has now grown to the point where the volume of radio traffic justifies the separation of fire and police communications. The efficiency of both departments can thus be improved.

It is further recommended that a person be employed to handle the clerical work of the department. Over the past two years there has been a marked increase in the number of reports, permits and inspections which are required. It is felt that the person employed to fill this position should be sufficiently qualified and knowledgeable to handle department communications during scheduled hours of work.

On the basis that the new police facility will be completed by July first, the Board of Selectmen have advised the Engineers that effective this date, the operation and maintenance of the town's three fire stations will be under the jurisdiction of the fire department. The operation of these buildings is currently under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen.

Last spring the department acquired through Civil Defense, a tractor unit, at no cost to the town. This unit has been overhauled and checked out by the permanent men. An appropriation of \$8,500 is being requested at this year's town meeting to complete conversion of this unit to a brush breaker tanker. When completed this piece of equipment will replace the present brush breaker now stationed in Forestdale, which was purchased third hand over 30 years ago and for which parts are now becoming unobtainable. The saving to the town by this conversion versus the purchase of a new unit is about \$26,000.

Last summer a 65 foot Junior Aerial Ladder truck was obtained from the Boston Fire Department at no cost to the town.



This truck was one of several units being phased out by the Boston department. With funds authorized at the special town meeting last fall, it has been completely overhauled, painted, and is now housed at Station 2 in East Sandwich, and responds to all building fires. Considering the cost of a new unit of similar size and design a saving of \$55,000 has been effected.

In May of 1972 a new ambulance was placed in service. Its purchase was made possible by matching funds under the Federal Highway Safety program and the Sandwich Volunteer Firemen's ambulance fund. During the past year the department responded on 260 ambulance runs, an increase of 44 over the previous year.

In November the new 1000 gallon pumper, authorized at last year's town meeting was delivered and placed in service at the headquarters station, as Engine 2. This unit replaces the 25 year old 500 gallon engine which has been stationed in Forestdale. Engine 4 has been moved from the headquarters station to replace this unit in Forestdale.

Recognizing that the efficiency of equipment is no better than the ability of the men assigned to its operation and use, the schooling and training of both permanent and call personnel has been carried forward. During the past year six men attended the Fire School at Fitzwilliam, New Hampshire, and four men attended the course in fire fighting at the Civil Defense Training Academy at Topsfield. Additionally members of both permanent and call forces completed special courses at Cape Cod Community College. Drills for all department members have been held on a regular bi-monthly basis.

Due to heavy rains during the summer and fall months there were numerous calls from home owners to pump out flooded celars. Also during some of the severe wind storms when wires were down and some highways flooded, permanent and call personnel were on standby duty at all stations.

The Department gratefully acknowledges the gift of an adult size "Resuscitator Annie" doll by the Women's Auxiliary of the Fire Department, and one of infant size by the Sandwich Junior Woman's Club. These life size dolls are used in practicing mouth to mouth resuscitation and cardiac arrest by department members in connection with the Red Cross training program.

The Chief and Engineers again recommend that the town consider including a section in the building code, calling for the installation of automatic sprinklers and/or fire detection systems in places of public assembly and multi-occupancy buildings. Consideration should also be given to making mandatory installation of self contained fire and smoke detection units in all new home construction. Such units at minimal cost provide sufficient warning against a tragedy similar to the Harwood fire on Old County Road.

When the present headquarters station was built it was adequate for the size and type of apparatus then in use. Present day equipment is larger and more efficient, and requires space not currently available in the present station. In view of this the Engineers recommend that a committee be appointed to determine the most economical method of adding to the present structure to provide additional space of sufficient height and depth to take care of department needs, not only for the present but also well into the future.

The Board of Fire Engineers, together with the Chief have endeavored to meet the fire protection needs of the town in an orderly manner. In the years ahead additional personnel, equipment and facilities will no doubt be needed to keep pace with the growth of the town. The needs can only be determined by a continuing study and evaluation. Based on information thus obtained, recommendations can be placed before the town for final action to maintain an efficient and effective fire department geared to meet the need of the times.

The Board of Fire Engineers and the Chief take this opportunity to extend their thanks and appreciation to our neighboring towns for their valuable assistance through mutual aid. We also gratefully acknowledge the cooperation of the dispatchers at the communications center and town officials who have been of assistance in many ways.

Respectfully submitted,

FERDINAND L. ALVEZI  
Chief of Department

W. GORDON SWAN, Chairman  
Board of Fire Engineers

THOMAS A. COSGROVE, Clerk  
EUGENE MORROW

WILLIAM TROYANOS  
WILLIAM W. WARD



## Report of the Forest Warden

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**Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The following report of the Forest Warden's Department is herewith submitted for the year 1972.

Listed below is the breakdown of alarms responded to and other activities of the Forest Warden's Department:

Wood and Grass Fires	26 — approx. 9 acres
Dump Fires	2
Fire Permits Issued	324 — Cooking
Smoke Investigations	13
Violations and Burning Without Permit	21

Due to the great amount of wet weather this year, major forest fires were down to a minimum. Twenty six alarms were sounded this year for wood and grass fires and the majority of these burned a quarter of an acre or less. Area destroyed in these fires was less than ten acres. Also the fact that having permanent firemen on duty at headquarters station enabled the Fire Department to respond more rapidly and control the fires before they got too large.

The Environmental Health Air Pollution laws are still in effect and open burning is prohibited in the State of Massachusetts. Fire permits will be issued for cooking purposes only. Call 888-0525 for these permits.

In conclusion I would like to take this opportunity to thank any and all persons who have assisted the Forest Warden's Department in any way.

**FERDINAND L. ALVEZI**  
Forest Warden, Sandwich, Mass.

# Report of the Communications Center

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**The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Communications Center, being a combined operation for the Police and Fire Departments, presents the following report of its activities for the year 1972:

Radio messages logged according to FCC rules:

Police Department:	29,987
Fire Department:	6,613

Routine business and telephone calls recorded:

Police Department:	69,223
Fire Department:	7,942
Bicycle Registrations Issued:	49
Emergency calls answered:	530
Directions given:	1,154
Crank calls received:	36

As these figures indicate, the business handled by dispatchers increased sharply this year. We would like to take this opportunity to thank the dispatchers for continuing to handle the business of both Fire and Police Departments so efficiently.

Respectfully submitted,

**ROBERT D. WHEARTY, JR.**

Chief of Police

**FERDINAND L. ALVEZI**

Chief of Fire Department

## Report of the Dog Officer

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

Herewith submitted is a breakdown of the activities in the report of the Town of Sandwich Dog Officer.

Dog Nuisance	183
Stray Dogs	88
Lost Dogs reported	66
Lost Dogs returned	78
Dog Bites	32
Dog Accidents	14
Unrestrained Dogs	42
Dogs Turned Over to M.S.P.C.A.	10
Vicious Dogs	3
Dogs Attacking Fowl	2
Cat Bite	1
Hamster Bite	1
Cats Shot (by persons unknown)	2

The greater part of the Dog Officer's time is consumed in responding to calls for stray dogs. A properly licensed, tagged and collared dog makes the task of notifying its owner much simpler in cases when the pet may have strayed or been injured.

If a license is lost during the year, a replacement may be obtained at the Town Clerk's Office in Town Hall.

Much time is also required of the Dog Officer to trace past due licenses. This year 140 notices had to be sent out to forgetful dog owners reminding them of their obligation.

The licensing period runs from April 1, to March 31 of the following year, and is immediately effective.

Since August 1969 the General Laws of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts place a new responsibility upon dog owners in this state: All dogs must have a rabies shot and display a tag attesting to this immunization. All dog owners, and partic-

ularly owners of puppies would do well to remember there is a civil libel suit attached to this law, in the event of a dog bite.

“G.L. Chap. 140, Sec. 145 B. Vaccination of dogs against rabies. Whoever is the owner or keeper of a dog six months of age or older, shall cause said dog to be vaccinated against rabies by a licensed veterinarian using a vaccine approved by the Department of Public Health.

Unvaccinated dogs acquired or brought in to the Commonwealth shall be vaccinated within thirty days after acquisition or entry into the Commonwealth or upon reaching the age of six months whichever comes later.

Vaccinated dogs shall be revaccinated periodically in accordance with rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by the Department of Public Health.

Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars.”

Many nuisance complaints pertain to barking dogs at night. Please keep this in mind and try not to offend your neighbor or disturb his sleep because of your dog's night barking.

During the summer months (exact date to be published) the Town of Sandwich enforces a dog leash law. The obligation for the enforcement of this edict rests with the Dog Officer.

As in most jobs, there are a few incidents which occur that make the routine performances seem worthwhile. For example: a simple “Thank-you” note from a young child, expressing gratitude to the Dog Officer for his treatment of her pet; or a Christmas card from a grateful canine.

Following is a breakdown of my activities as Town of Sandwich Fish, Game and Conservation Officer:

Removed raccoon from house chimney on Harbor Street

Removed family of swans from Lower Shawme Pond to Upper Pond for their safety.

Removed cygnet from Pond that had been injured by a turtle. Also removed 2 Mallard ducks from area.

Removed 4 snapping turtles from Shawme Pond and surrounding area.

Rescued white duck caught between rocks at Shawme Pond feeding station.



Removed 2 snakes, one from house on Spring Hill Beach, other on Old Main Street.

Removed young skunk from under sun-deck in Lakewood Hills.

Released short lobsters which had been confiscated.

Disposed of seal which had washed ashore at Sandy Neck Beach area.

Had buried 600 lb. leather-backed turtle which had washed ashore.

Buried decomposed shark at Sandy Neck Beach area.

Removed 5 deer for disposal which had been killed by cars.

Disposed of 3 skunks, dead on roadways.

Disposed of 2 raccoons, dead on roadways.

Assisted Shellfish Warden in acquiring test samples for "Red Tide" at Old Harbor and Scorton Creek.

Assisted Shellfish Warden in retrieving lobster traps beached after violent storm.

Investigated following complaints:

Lobster poaching — 2

Hunters shooting too close to homes — 21

Clam digging out of season — 5

Dogs chasing deer — 3

Dead fish in Pimlico Pond (investigation revealed this was due to reclaiming of Pond).

Issued verbal warnings for law violations to 2 hunters, 3 fishermen and 3 clamdiggers.

Also in the line of duty as Conservation Officer I daily patrol the parks, beaches, woodlands and Conservation areas.

I would like to express my appreciation for the assistance rendered to me, this year, by the Honorable Board of Selectmen, the entire personnel of the Police and Fire Departments, the Sandwich Conservation Commission, the Barnstable Conservation Offices, the State D.N.R. Law Enforcement Agency, and the M.S.P.C.A. This cooperation was most helpful in making my duties both easier and more effective. Besides, the aid from these departments, another aspect of cooperation which makes the job more pleasant, is the willingness to help of our Sandwich residents.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS G. SILVA

Dog and Conservation Officer



# Report of the Inspector of Animals

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

This year I have traveled 1682 miles to investigate animal bite reports, quarantine animals when necessary, and later view them for release. One pet cat and one pet hamster had to be sent to the Wasserman Lab as rabid suspects. Both reports were negative. I have also inspected animals and taken the census of them for the State Department of Agriculture. All animals appear to be well tended.

Itemized report: 43 Animal bite reports investigated  
 41 Animals quarantined  
     39 Dogs  
     1 Cat  
     1 Hamster

Census: 50 Horses  
         19 Ponies  
         2 Donkeys  
         11 Sheep  
         3 Goats  
         59 Cattle

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144 Animals Inspected

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE

## Report of the Gas Inspector

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The continued growth of Sandwich is again reflected in the number of gas permits issued during 1972. During this period, 179 permits were granted, reflecting the increased use of gas for cooking, heating, air conditioning, etc.

Housing developments on the fringe areas of the Town are being served with yet another gas main.

The Cape Cod Gas Inspectors' Association, through its monthly seminars, keeps all Gas Inspectors aware of our common problems, as well as their solutions.

During 1972 an amazingly low number of complaints were received by this office, three to be exact and these were corrected almost immediately by the serving gas suppliers.

This report submitted with many thanks to those who have helped me in the past year, especially the girls in the office.

Respectfully submitted,

H. A. HAMLEN  
Gas Inspector

## Report of the Plumbing Inspector

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

Another year has passed and Sandwich continues to grow at even a faster pace than in 1971.

There were 348 permits issued for plumbing in 1972 as compared with 272 in 1971, an increase of 76 permits or a little better than 28 per cent increase. There were 487 inspections made at various stages of completion.

There was also an increase in permits for sanitary installations, there being 350 in 1972 as compared with 272 in 1971. This reflects the increase in planned building for 1973.

Plastic piping for both wastes and hot and cold water supply lines is now allowed in multi-family dwellings.

I wish to thank all those who have cooperated with me in 1972, especially the personnel of the various departments in the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

**EDWARD F. MONTAGUE, JR.**

Plumbing Inspector

## Report of the Inspector of Wires

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

In reporting the activities of 1972, we cannot help but mention the increased amount of construction in all sections of Town.

This year there were 662 permits issued, of which, 302 were new installations and 360 were alterations. We traveled 7,852 miles to make these inspections.

Our thanks and appreciation to the people at the Town Hall for their assistance with all the work involved in this office.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR E. CARON,  
Inspector of Wires



# Report of the Building Inspector

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

As the Town continues to grow, the numbers used in most annual reports get bigger and bigger. This must be evident in a Building Inspector's report. The 1972 figures dispel any hope that Sandwich will retain its quaint village atmosphere much longer. This office issued 393 permits with the builders' estimated cost being \$12,092,800.00. The shell of the new power plant is included in this figure at \$5,000,000.00 leaving \$7,092,800.00 as ordinary every day business which is an increase of \$1,657,350.00 over last year. Fees collected and paid to the Town Treasurer amounted to \$5,586.00.

Permits were issued as follows:

- 254 Dwellings
- 77 Additions
- 24 Alterations
- 3 Office Type
- 12 Garages
- 3 Tourist Cottages
- 10 Utility Buildings
- 2 Remodeling
- 7 Miscellaneous
- 1 Shell of Power Generating Station

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The cooperation of the several Town Departments and Town Hall personnel, with which this office works throughout the year, is sincerely appreciated. Deputy Building Inspector, Howard Burke, is a most valued and able assistant.

Having had the privilege of serving in this office for the past eleven years with the complete cooperation and confidence of ten different Selectmen and issuing 2,215 permits valued at over 40

million dollars, this will be my last report as I retire to an easier way of life. In accounting for my stewardship may I quote from my first Annual Report in 1962.

"With the appointment of a Building Inspector, the enforcement of the Zoning Act or Protective By-Law of the Town was found to be his job also. As may be assumed, the application of the Building Code and the administration of the Zoning Act have had some problems. With the gratifying cooperation of the Deputy Building Inspector, Howard Burke, the members of the Planning Board, Appeal Board, Board of Health and the sage counsel of the Board of Selectmen, all of the problems have been resolved to the mutual satisfaction of all parties concerned. Most of the people encountered seem to favor the Building Code and the Zoning Act but want to know if these laws apply to them. It is to be assumed that there will be controversial cases arising and an occasional difference of opinion; also, the possibility of an honest mistake, but it is the sincere ambition of this office to administer the duties of the office of Building Inspector in an equitable and impartial manner consistent with my ability."

Respectfully submitted,

LESTER E. GEARY  
Building Inspector

# Report of the Town Engineer

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## **The Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

During the year of 1972 the Engineering Department performed the usual functions of updating the Assessors maps with the many real estate transfers and new subdivisions and assisting the Highway Surveyor and Building Inspector in matters which required Engineering advice. The Engineer was also called upon to review and make recommendations about the numerous drainage problems which were intensified this year because of the unusually high rainfall.

I have attended several meetings with The Board of Selectmen and other parties to study solid waste disposal proposals, sewerage studies and The Coastal Wetland Protection Act. The Department has prepared cost estimates and street layouts and easements as required, so that these items might be in the Town Meeting Warrants. Plans have been prepared and Engineering advice has been given to The School Building Committee and School Committee to assist them in their planned expansion of the Town's educational facilities.

Maps were prepared for the Conservation Committee showing the areas of Sandwich which are presently being held for conservation purposes as well as maps indicating the lands held under various Governmental Agencies. Existing land use maps have been prepared to be used during meetings of the Conservation Committee, Board of Selectmen and Planning Board in their studies of residential growth and the impact it will have on the Town. I am sure that these studies have shown many avenues which may be applied to relieve the precipitate growth the Town has experienced in the past year.

The Engineering Department's association with the Planning Board became most time consuming during the past year as one might assume. I attended thirty some odd Planning Board meetings, and made recommendations relative to changes in the Zoning By-laws and Subdivision Regulations. I have reviewed over one

hundred plans which were submitted to the Planning Board and have prepared reports on these to assist the Board in their evaluation of these plans. The subdivisions which were being developed were all inspected to ensure compliance with Subdivision Regulations.

Again I would like to thank all the citizens of Sandwich who have rendered assistance to this Department.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR



## Report of the Highway Surveyor

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the  
Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:**

I submit herewith my report for the year ending December 31, 1972.

May I bring to your attention that the Town of Sandwich has well over one hundred miles of road.

The work accomplished under the general maintenance program includes drainage, guard rails, patching, brushing, and 364,000 square yards of roads resurfaced with oil and sand cover.

Maintenance is the art of keeping pavements in full service with minimum expense and the least inconvenience to traffic.

Maintenance not only preserves the pavement's surface, but prevents accelerated wear. It should be regarded, not as a temporary expedient, but as an investment in pavement structure and insurance against costly repair. To neglect maintenance is to invite damage with consequent expensive repairs at a later date.

No pavement ever was built that did not require maintenance and it might be added that good maintenance practice takes know-how, skill and organization.

Snow and ice control has not been a great problem but we must be prepared at all times in case of an emergency.

The cooperation and interest of the Citizens, Selectmen, and other Town Departments in the past year have been fully appreciated by this Department.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. VAN BUSKIRK,  
Highway Surveyor



## Report of the Tree Warden and Insect Pest Control Superintendent

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### **To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Sixty-two trees were planted this year, many of them to replace trees lost due to Dutch Elm disease. These new trees included Imperial locust, Bradford pear, Schwedler maple, Norway maple, Crimson King maple, Littleleaf linden, Kwansan cherry, Sugar maple and Pin oak. The tree planting program will continue in 1973.

Recently there has been a great deal of publicity for a treatment of Dutch Elm disease involving the use of Benlate. This publicity claims that this injection and/or spray treatment is very promising. I have sought the opinion of Clifford S. Chater, Associate Professor of Arboriculture and Entomology, Waltham Shade Tree Laboratory, University of Massachusetts; Mr. Chater is Shade Tree Entomologist at the Cooperative Extension Service Laboratory which serves Tree Wardens throughout this state. He has written me, "This is an experimental procedure and is, therefore, not recommended by the University of Massachusetts or any other research agency. It has demonstrated potential effectiveness against Dutch elm disease fungus under laboratory conditions. However, at this point I have no idea whether or not it will work. The USDA Shade Tree Laboratory in Delaware, Ohio is doing some substantial research on this problem and hopefully within another year or maybe two, they will have something positive to report.

"Meanwhile, I would not use it on public shade trees and would administer it to private tree owners only upon their request." On the basis of a number of requests that this material be used, I will try it on certain selected trees. However, it should be noted that the manufacturer sells this fungicide "as an aid in the control of Dutch Elm disease", and no miracles should be expected.

In the meantime, I will be continuing my usual spray program and removal of dead Dutch Elm diseased material in an effort to control the disease. This year 18 trees were removed.

Unfortunately, there is another threat to the elm which has now been reported from New York and Pennsylvania. It is phloem necrosis, a widespread and destructive vascular disease of the American elm. Symptoms of the disease usually start as drooping and curling leaves, followed by yellowing and browning of leaves and finally by defoliation of the tree. Trees that show the leaf symptoms in June or July can be expected to die in that same growing season. This disease has not, as of this writing, been confirmed to occur in Massachusetts; however, our regular spray program is expected to keep it under control.

The gypsy moth seems to be under control in the Town of Sandwich. In 1970, the Department of Natural Resources aerial survey showed 8,593 acres defoliated; in 1971, it showed 321 acres; in 1972, the aerial survey showed no defoliation. The reason for this decline is probably a combination of USDA and town efforts, and the natural enemies of the gypsy moth, wasps, birds and various parasites—particularly the wilt disease virus—and their own overpopulation. All of these probably led to the population collapse. There are still, however, a few areas in town where the gypsy moths are present and they could flare up at any time. We will closely watch the situation.

This year we may have trouble with the pine looper. It seems to be coming in from Otis and surrounding towns, and is prevalent on the other side of the Canal. This will be included in our spray program this year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. ELLIS

## Report of the Shellfish Constable

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

During 1972 approximately 132 hours were spent on weekend patrol by me and 100 hours on weekday patrol by the Conservation Officer. Areas under surveillance included Old Harbor and Scorton Creek. In addition to the above, 12-16 hours were spent on lobster violation investigations and reclaiming of lobster pots washed ashore after a storm. These pots were taken to the Sandwich Police Station where they were picked up by the lobster fishermen.

The Shellfish area east of the Boardwalk Bridge to Scorton Creek was opened only on Sundays during the months of March, April, November and December. An estimated twelve bushels were harvested by 43 family permit holders.

Fifty bushels of medium and large quahogs were planted in July in town waters. Purchase of these quahogs was made possible through town funds appropriated in 1972. I hope to continue transplanting quahogs — and possibly soft-shell clams — this spring.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Conservation Officer, John Winslow and Richard Currier for their support and assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE MORROW  
Shellfish Constable

## Report of the Recreation Committee

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This year's recreational activities covered a wide range of areas involving many new programs. Each year as the demands for recreational activities increase more and varied programs must be established. As the programs are increased the demand for more financial participation increases as well as the need for qualified volunteer services. The over-all recreation program of the town has reached a point where a handful of interested people are hard pressed to devote the time required to operate an effective program. As a result many activities have been relegated to volunteers with token financial reimbursement involved.

The annual summer recreation program began with a Fourth of July parade and field day. The (horribles) parade in the morning was well attended with the participants being awarded ribbons for finishing tops in their group events. Each participant then received a free soda and hot dog to top off the day.

The summer program which includes playground activities as well as swimming instruction and canoeing, began July 5th and ran for six weeks.

This program was under the direction of Mr. Philip Bangs of this town. His staff included Philip Crawford, Virginia Hepp, Marjorie Fisher, Maureen Fay, Anita Bangs, and Star Torres.

For the second year in a row the nature program and the expanded crafts program proved to be a huge success. These programs involved both boys and girls ranging in age from 6-13. These programs featured such activities as picnics and outings to local areas as well as an educational tour to the Children's Museum in Boston.

The drama club under the direction of Mrs. Ann Palmer presented the play **Music Man**. The play ran two nights and played to a capacity crowd both nights. This program was successful in that it included individuals of all ages. We are looking forward to the same type of success in the coming years.

Canoeing instructions were added to the program this year. Two three week sessions were held, the first two weeks being in-



structional and the third recreational. Fifty individuals received instruction and were able to use the canoes during the recreational phase. During the recreational phase any individual from the town who was qualified could use the canoes.

The swimming instruction program, conducted at Lombard Park (Snake Pond), was, as usual, a well attended program, with age groups ranging from three years old and up. The program served 400 children during its six week duration. One hundred passed the strenuous requirements of the Red Cross Water Safety Program. At the conclusion of the summer all the swimming program participants were invited to a swim carnival where prizes were awarded and refreshments were served.

Bowling was also added to the program this year and proved to be very successful. A league was established and ran for a period of six weeks. The first week the children were given free bowling lessons which helped make the program that much more enjoyable. The winning teams received trophies as well as the high individual bowlers. We are looking forward to the same type of success in the coming years.

The tennis program was greatly expanded to accommodate all age groups and levels. Two three week sessions were held. During each period, instruction at each level was held. The program was a success and will continue to expand as the facilities do.

The recreation committee also sponsored men and women softball teams.

The recreation committee also sponsored a men's soccer team which played in the Cape Cod Amateur Soccer League. The team was coached by Mr. Robert Mason and managed by Mr. Joe Dvorski.

The Saturday morning program for girls was under the direction of Miss Judy Rooney. This program ran for seven weeks and met for two hours on Saturday morning from 9-11.

The boys soccer program, which ran concurrently with the girls program, was directed by Mr. Philip Bangs. The boys were divided into teams, and league competition was carried out among themselves. Seventy boys participated in this program which saw the winning team receive trophies.



A photography course under the instruction of Ms. Barbara Russell is being offered in conjunction with the adult education courses at H. T. Wing School.

The recreation committee also gives support to the Sandwich Hockey Club coached by Mr. Richard Swift and made up of high school aged boys. In conjunction with the high school aged hockey program a program of skating instruction for younger children was held at the Falmouth Hockey Rink on Saturday mornings at 4:45 A.M. This program was designed to teach youngsters to skate as well as teach some basic hockey skills. This program is primarily funded by the participants themselves. The recreation committee hopes to help support this program more fully in the coming year. At the present time there are approximately 30 to 40 youngsters involved in this program.

The Recreation Committee would like to take this opportunity to thank any and all persons who gave their time to be involved with the recreation program. Without these people any program would be lost.

Respectfully submitted,

ROD VALENTINI, Chairman  
PHILIP BANGS  
LYDIA BORJESON  
JAMES GREENWOOD  
RAYMOND HART  
ROBERTA LEYDEN

## Report of the Babe Ruth League Team

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

The Sandwich Babe Ruth baseball team completed its fourth year of successful operation. This year the 26-man squad was composed of the largest number of returning ball players. An even larger number is expected back next year.

Competing in two leagues, Sandwich won the Cape Cod Pony League for the third straight year, with a record of 17 wins and 1 defeat. Sandwich also won the Capeway Youth League with a record of 17 wins and 3 losses.

Sandwich had an overall season record (including non-league games) of 36 wins and 4 defeats, probably one of the best records for a team in the 13-15 age bracket in New England. Sandwich can be proud of its support and the accomplishments of this youth program.

At the annual awards night, the players received the appreciation of the town for their outstanding accomplishments. Each player received a team picture and League champions trophy. The highest batting average, home run, and best pitching performance trophies were all won by one player — Peter Fernandes. Peter has been an outstanding player for three years. He has been an inspiration and leader to the team and a pleasure to coach.

Jackets were also presented to Peter Howell, Brian Oliver, and Peter Fernandes, who graduated from the Babe Ruth League age bracket.

Successful operation of the program has produced many Sandwich boys imbued with a desire to occupy their time during the summer playing baseball. The Recreation Committee, at my request, has included in their budget funds to start a 16-19 year-age teener team. This will provide for the continued participation of the Babe Ruth team graduates.

I wish to publicly thank, for the players, the summer recreation director, Phil Bangs, the School Committee, the Recreation Committee, and the Selectmen for their continued assistance to the team.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. HENDY, JR., Coach

## Report of the Little Baseball League

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In May of 1972 I assumed the directorship of the Sandwich Little Baseball League from Mr. William Hendy Jr. From the outset Mr. and Mrs. Hendy were a tremendous help in helping me organize the league for 1972. I wish to express my sincere thanks to both of them for their assistance.

The season because of the weather was both rewarding and disappointing. The wet weather and poor condition of the playing field caused many cancellations and thus caused a problem in scheduling due to post season tournament play. The Red Sox coached by Mr. Carl Schmelzer and the Orioles coached by Mr. Richard Leydon were the Co-champions of the 1972 season. The members of both teams were presented trophies at the annual sports night held October 20, 1972.

The Sandwich Little Baseball League consists of a Major League comprising four teams and a Minor League comprising four teams. These teams afford an opportunity for boys (ages 8-13) to learn the rudiments of team work and fair play through organized baseball. It is geared to provide an outlet of healthful activity and a training under good leadership in the atmosphere of wholesome community participation.

As in past years the league formed an All-Star team to represent the community in three post season tournaments. Although the team won only one game in post season competition I feel that they learned many valuable lessons which will help them in years to come.

I recommend the following for the coming year. I propose that a Board of Directors of the Sandwich Little Baseball League be set up and that they be responsible to the Recreation Committee. I feel that one man can not efficiently run an organization of this magnitude. I suggest that these Board of Directors set up three leagues consisting of a Major, Minor, and a Squirt League. I would organize in this fashion so that the Squirts would consist of a league where the primary consideration would be the teaching of the fundamental skills needed to play the game of baseball. I would sug-

gest that all three leagues play in the early evening during the week so that weekends and mornings would be left open for family affairs, summer school, etc.

I recommend that the season be shortened thus allowing the boys to take advantage of the numerous activities which at present overlap and cause scheduling problems.

Having made my recommendations I would like to express my sincere thanks to the coaches who gave of themselves and their valuable time, to the parents who so diligently saw to it that their boys were at the games, to the boys themselves, and to the community who willingly supported this activity.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND B. HART



## Report of the Marina Committee

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**Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich**

Dear Sirs:

The Sandwich Marina Committee is pleased to submit its first Annual Report. Inasmuch as this is the first report submitted by this Committee, we feel that certain pertinent observations should be made for the benefit of the citizens of Sandwich.

The Sandwich Marina Committee is composed of five members appointed by the Board of Selectmen. Each member of the Committee is a boat owner and/or operator of many years' experience, and thereby he is qualified to make relevant observations and suggestions as regards the operation of the Sandwich Marina.

Further, it is to be recognized that the Committee serves strictly in an advisory capacity. It has absolutely no function in the actual operation of the Marina.

The Committee has kept in close touch with the operation of the Sandwich Marina during the 1972 boating season. Even though only two formal meetings were held, each member was in almost daily contact with the Marina and its operation. Each of us had many personal conversations with Mr. Moffitt, the operator of the Marina. Two formal sessions were held, one with Mr. Moffitt and a second with the Selectmen and Mr. Moffitt. We have been very pleased with the operation of the Marina this past year and with the improvement of the facilities there. We are in full accord with the proposed improvements for 1973.

We are grateful to Mr. Moffitt and the Selectmen for carefully and courteously listening to our suggestions. It is heartening to note that almost all of them are being put into effect. We feel that through the cooperation of the Selectmen, Mr. Moffitt and the Committee, the Marina is being efficiently run and constantly improved. We further feel that the Town is benefitting and will continue to benefit from this most welcome marine facility. Our grati-

tude to all—Selectmen, Mr. Moffitt and the many boat owners and operators, local and visiting—for the help and advice accorded the Committee.

Sincerely,

(REV.) WILLIAM F. MORRIS, Chairman  
HOWARD J. CARLSON  
JOHN H. FIELD  
B. HARLOW MORROW  
CHARLES C. RUSSELL

## Report of the Park Department

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### To the Honorable Selectmen:

The year 1972 has seen an increase in the work load of the Park Department. Much of this additional work is due to vandalism of Town property and buildings, such as broken windows and ripped screens; missing street signs; smashed doors and broken bottles and cans left on beaches and in the parks.

Park Department barrels are placed around Town for the convenience and use of the people using the beaches and summer facilities. However, too often they are a disposal area for household refuse, making extra work that could be better directed to more useful projects.

This year the rafts at Snake Pond worked out very well with a minimum amount of maintenance. They are quite an improvement over the raft of a few years ago and seem to be enjoyed by everyone.

I would like to thank the Selectmen for their cooperation during the year and I also would like to take this opportunity to thank the men who worked for the Park Department for their help in making Sandwich a better place in which to live.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND THAYER

Park Foreman

## Report of the Conservation Commission

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Commission continues to place its primary emphasis on enlarging its open space holdings.

During 1972 the final details for the purchase of the Scorton Neck Area (formerly called Sandy Neck area) were completed: the right of way determined through Barnstable land, the setting of the boulder with appropriate plaque at the entrance to the footpath and the reimbursement for the project by Self-Help and the Federal Bureau of Outdoor Recreation. Thus, the Town now has twenty-seven acres of dunes and beach, with one thousand feet of beach frontage, adjacent to Bodfish Park.

At Spring Hill Beach (to be known as the Old Harbor Conservation and Recreation Area) sixty-three acres of dunes and saltmarsh with two thousand feet of beach frontage were acquired, some of the land purchased and the balance deeded to the Town as a gift. Approval of the project was granted by the Self-Help program of the Department of Natural Resources.

Sixteen and six-tenths acres of saltmarsh were purchased in the Spring Hill area and East Sandwich.

The Commission has had four joint meetings with the Selectmen, the Planning Board and Mr. Herr, the town planner, in order to coordinate plans for land acquisition and to implement the open space program of the Master Plan.

Many land owners have been contacted and the Commission has been encouraged by the favorable response. Due to the difficulty of bringing each purchase before a Town Meeting, the Commission is hoping for the approval of an acquisition fund, such as that granted to many other conservation commissions in the state. In this way, parcels may be bought as negotiations are completed.

The Barnstable Conservation District has agreed to make a Resource Map of Commission holdings and to help with the layout of trails and with beach management.



At the special Town Meeting in September the town approved our article to engage the Barnstable Conservation District to do a soil interpretation survey of the town, to be used as a basis for more informed planning.

We received 500 seedling trees this year from the District. Many of these were planted at Scorton Neck, some at Brady's Island. Blessed with favorable weather this summer, they are doing well.

Under the new Wetlands Act, effective October 15, 1972, the Commission was given the responsibility for holding the hearings and making the determinations on matters involving disturbance or alterations to wetlands, formerly under the Hatch and Jones Acts. The Commission has heard and made recommendations on twelve notices of intent and also inspected other sites to determine whether or not such notice need be filed; and has also issued, through the Conservation Officer, several stop orders on illegal filling.

The Campfire Girls managed the harvesting and sale of the Carleton blueberries this year and did an excellent job.

Under the direction of the Commission and their own leaders, the Boy Scouts "planted" discarded Christmas trees on Town Beach, to discourage the erosion of the dunes.

Mr. Daniel E. Potter was appointed to the Commission in 1972 to replace Mr. John D. White, whose resignation was accepted with regret. Mr. Potter is especially valuable as a member, as he was, until recently, Assistant Regional Supervisor of Conservation Services for the Department of Natural Resources.

Again we wish to express our thanks to the citizens of Sandwich for past support and to the staff at Town Hall for its assistance throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ALBERT TORREY, Chairman  
 MEREDITH W. BOURNE, Secretary  
 JAMES J. GEORGE  
 PETER C. MEINL  
 JOHN M. MENDONZA  
 DANIEL E. POTTER  
 BERNARD C. Di PIETRO

# Report of the Advisory Landscape Council

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## To the Honorable Selectmen of Sandwich

Gentlemen:

The Advisory Landscape Council for the Preservation and Enhancement of the Beauty of Sandwich was organized with your encouragement in the spring of 1972. Its origin was in the Sandwich Gardeners club, and it eventually developed as a Civic Improvement Project promoted by the Sandwich Woman's Club.

Specifically, the Advisory Landscape Council has been arranging for the planting of trees along state highway Route 6A between Tupper Road and Old Main Street, and trees and shrubs in Bourne Park, at the intersections of Pine, Burbank, and Campbell Streets with Route 130, and in the curbed islands in front of the Cumberland Farms building, the Buzzards Bay Bank, Post Office, and pharmacy. The Selectmen, Tree Warden, and Town Engineer, along with numerous interested people, have helped evolve the plan, which will be carried out in the spring of 1973. Six stone benches will be placed here and there for the comfort of those who enjoy walking in the village.

In general, the Advisory Landscape Council focuses attention on the problem of how to preserve the rural and scenic character of Sandwich. The sudden rapid expansion of the town could easily change it from a gentle but lively country community into a boisterous, teeming suburbia, unmindful of the quaint landmarks and distinctive features of the legendary first town of Cape Cod.

The Advisory Landscape Council believes that supervised landscaping, the concealment or elimination of unsightly spots, the control of signs, and the acquisition (preferably by gift) of more small open-space areas, like Bourne and Burgess Parks, may preserve the illusion, at least, of former spaciousness and beauty.

On December 31, 1972, the membership totaled 306 individuals, 26 businesses and professions, and 9 civic organizations. A sustained interest by the citizens of Sandwich in environmental

betterment will insure the success of the undertaking, perpetuating it for years to come.

The Advisory Landscape Council is grateful to the Selectmen for their generous advice and support.

Respectfully submitted by

The Advisory Landscape Council

NATALIE NORRIS, President

WILFRED GRAVES, Vice-President

BARBARA GILL, Recording Secretary

CARYLL GATES, Corresponding Secretary

WALLACE TERHUNE, Treasurer

## Department of Veterans' Services

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District Board:

E. THOMAS MURPHY, Barnstable, Chairman  
CARL HILER, Sandwich  
HOWARD MARCHANT, Yarmouth  
DAVID LANE, Dennis  
KEVIN O'CONNELL, Mashpee

I hereby submit my annual report of the District Department of Veterans Services.

For the Town of Sandwich, this Department spent \$28,493.67 on Veterans Benefit which includes the ordinary living expenses, medical and Nursing Homes. A total of 16 cases were aided.

Besides aiding veterans and their dependents in a financial manner, this department shall assist them in furnishing such information, advice and assistance to enable them to procure the benefits to which they may be entitled relative to employment, vocational or other educational opportunities, hospitalization medical care, pensions and other veterans benefits. A total of 5,716 people availed themselves of our services during 1972; also, this office handled 4,886 incoming telephone calls.

Included in this report is a report from the Investigator, Sidney L. Chase as follows:

As the District's Investigator, my primary job is to make regular reports on all cases on Veterans Benefits. Semi-annual reports on all permanent cases and monthly visits on all temporary cases are made. For the calendar year, 1972, I made 31 home visits, 13 permanent cases and 18 temporary cases.

Secondly, I assist Mr. Cross with Veterans Service work for all eligible veterans. Also, any other daily problems that occur within the Veterans Service Office.

The department wishes to thank the Board of Selectmen and their various Town Departments for their splendid cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. CROSS

Director and Agent



# Report of the Veterans' Graves Officer

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

An index file has been made of the various Cemeteries and pertinent information has been put on this card file as to the Service persons branch of the service and, when the information was found or known, the War in which he or she participated.

Perhaps it would be well to let you people know how many Cemeteries there are and the number of persons honored Memorial Day since the last listing in 1965.

Cemetery	1965	1972
Bay View	63	70
Freeman	6	6
St. Peters	52	97
Old Town	14	14
Spring Hill	10	11
Mount Hope	25	30
Cedarville	32	36
Forestdale—Main Street	8	8
South Sandwich	5	7
Peters Pond Field	3	3

Lone grave in woods near Peters Pond woodland.

Single grave by side of road, South Sandwich.

There have been many servicemen brought here for burial from 'out of State'.

If any service person's resting place has not been properly honored, please let me know and it will be corrected.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. CURRIER,  
Veterans Graves Registrar

## Report of the Civil Defense Director

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The annual report of the Sandwich Civil Defense Agency is submitted herewith.

During the past year four members of the Sandwich Fire Department attended the Fire-Rescue Course at the Civil Defense Training Academy in Topsfield, Mass.

Hope Resuscitators have been provided for both fire and police rescue units.

A trailer tractor unit was obtained from government surplus at no cost to the town. This unit will be converted to a brush breaker - tanker by the Fire Department to replace a thirty year old unit at a considerable saving to the town.

Safety glasses have been provided for Fire Department rescue personnel.

Attention is again called to the fact that there are opportunities to serve in a variety of areas within the local Civil Defense organization, and to be of service in many peacetime activities. Those who may be interested in participating in this worthwhile community activity should contact the Director.

In conclusion I wish to acknowledge with thanks the co-operation and assistance which has been extended by town officials, departments and organizations in carrying on the day to day activities of Sandwich Civil Defense.

Respectfully submitted,  
W. GORDON SWAN  
Director of Civil Defense

## Director's Report of the Old Hoxie House

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Guests came from every state in the Union and from many countries of the World—one from Nepal. They came early and stayed late! This was the busiest year ever. Most of the guests were particularly interested in the simple way of life of our early settlers. Many of our local residents visited here also.

The furniture and furnishings are in excellent condition. They are oiled and wiped regularly. No additions were made this year. Tours were continual as always throughout the day.

My assistants Mrs. Walter Hilliard and Mrs. Alfred Hoey, join me in thanking you for any aid you gave us this past season, especially those of you who loan their priceless pieces for exhibit.

Do remember taxpayers and local residents, the Old Hoxie House is your house to visit!

See you next year?

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE  
(Mrs. Charles G. Whitmore)

## Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission

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The Commission completed its Economic Base Study and developed a Resource Management program which is designed to improve the per capita income of the people in the County, to alleviate the distress caused by our relatively low position in this regard compared to other Counties in the Commonwealth. The Commission is confident that by reducing unemployment and underemployment many of the County's social problems can also be improved.

In order that the Commission's recommendations become effective, affirmative action by the Town Meetings is required. Therefore, it has requested that the Selectmen include the following Resolutions in their 1972 Warrants as follows:

### **RESOLUTIONS TO ESTABLISH A POLICY AS RESPECTS THE USE OF BARNSTABLE COUNTY'S RESOURCES — ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC**

#### **Question #1**

#### **OPEN SPACE VILLAGE SUBDIVISIONS**

Shall the Town request the Planning Board to prepare a bylaw that will permit and encourage "Open Space Village" subdivisions?

#### **Question #2**

#### **WATER QUALITY AND QUANTITY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

Shall the Selectmen of the Town be requested to notify the Barnstable County Commissioners that they approve the County taking the required action to establish a "Water Quality and Quantity Management Program", providing that the County Commissioners may appropriate not more than \$700,000 for this purpose?

#### **Question #3**

#### **CAPE COD JOBS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL AND A CAPE COD JOBS DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY**



Shall the Selectmen of the Town be requested to notify the County Commissioners that they approve the establishment of a Cape Cod Jobs Development Council and a Cape Cod Jobs Development Financing Authority providing that the County Commissioners may appropriate not more than \$150,000 annually for these purposes?

The Commission has provided all towns' Boards and Commissions with recommendations as follows:

1. Resort Districts
2. Protection of Mineral Resources
3. Installation of Public Utilities Underground in all new subdivisions
4. A Uniform Building Code
5. Jobs Development Districts

Also all towns have been provided with recommendations for the improvement of their public water supply distribution, and waste water treatment designed to protect the environment.

The Commission has undertaken to defend and protect the County's interest in the Air Service Investigation now being conducted by the Civil Aeronautics Board.

The Commission has undertaken to defend the County's interests in the continuance of railroad freight service as the Trustees of the Penn Central Railroad Company have petitioned to abandon service to some of our Towns.

The Commission in cooperation with the State has established a Cape Cod Joint Transportation Planning Committee for the purpose of improving all modes of transportation for the movement of goods and people into and throughout the County.

The Commission is preparing a land use plan that will provide for a predicted population of 500,000 people. It is also further developing a resource management plan that will provide for the protection of the environment and for the uses of the County's resources that will provide the best possible job opportunities for its citizens over the longest possible period of time.

The Commission has met formally eleven times throughout the year and its members have participated in scores of

special committee meetings to develop policy and action recommendations for the Commission.

## **COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES**

### **Land Use Committee and Citizens Advisory Committee**

This Committee met on numerous occasions and developed in detail the Commission's proposal for Open Space Village Zoning districts and Sub-division controls.

### **Public Information Committee**

This Committee has provided an abundance of material to the County's news media regarding the Commission's activities and proposals.

### **Otis Air Force Base Committee**

This Committee has been active in protecting the County's interests as respects the future use of the land in the Base area and its' physical properties and equipment. This action was required when the United States Department of Defense announced planned changes in the operation and control of the Base.

### **Economic Development Committee and Citizens Advisory Committee**

This Committee has been active with the help of its advisors in developing plans for Resource Management including recommendations for the creation of a County Jobs Development Council and a Jobs Development Financing

### **Legislative Review Committee Authority.**

a number of issues were dealt with as the session of the General Court neared its close.

Legislation filed by the Commission for action 1973 will be under the guidelines of this Committee.

### **Engineering Department Committee**

The Commission's proposal that the County should have an engineering department was not met with favor by local officials and this issue was not pursued.

**Purchasing and Data Processing Committee**

CCPEDC's recommendation that a County Purchasing and Data Processing Department be created for the purpose of improving the control of its purchases and the availability of its records was not approved by local officials and therefore this issue was not pursued.

**Consultants to All Committees**

Former officials of the Commission and now honorary members provided advice and guidance to the Commission and to its standing committees.

**Other Issues**

Critical issues still before the Commission are as follows:

1. Traffic and Transportation
2. Additional Opportunities for Jobs Development
3. The effect on the people of our County if the proposed changes in the State's taxing policies are adopted.
4. Preservation of Open Space for Conservation, Recreation and Historic Area Protection.
5. Management of our County's Resources
6. Unified Regional Land-Use Policy
7. Adequate Year-round Housing
8. Efficient Solid Waste Disposal
9. Obtaining Federal and State Grants for the County and Towns

Respectfully submitted,

CARL H. HILER, Member  
JOHN LOUIS ROBERTI, Alternate

## Report of the Historical Commission

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Commission made significant progress in 1972 in its mandatory duty to prepare an inventory of historic assets in Sandwich. The first sector completed was East Sandwich (from the West Barnstable line to Spring Hill Cemetery) and an official report was dispatched to the Massachusetts Historical Commission in Boston. The inventory consists of these parts:

1. Slides of about 66 pre-Civil War buildings for display to groups.
2. A book of photographs of these buildings (as well as burial grounds and other historic sites), arranged by type of building and age.
3. Documents describing each building in detail and listing probable dates of building and early ownership; lists of burial markers earlier than 1830; lists of published references to houses in East Sandwich; description of nine local neighborhoods; and other related material.

The Town's copy of this report has been reviewed briefly with the Historical Society, and it has been made available to the Historic District Study Committee, but it has not yet received attention from Town officials or the interested public.

Work is going actively forward on the inventory of historic assets in Sandwich Village, defined as from Spring Hill Cemetery to the Bourne line and north of the Mid-Cape. The buildings have been divided into three groups: pre-revolutionary, 1775 to 1825, and built after 1825. The pre-revolutionary group are the subject of a special report on "Sandwich in the Revolution" being prepared for the State Bicentennial Commission; those after 1825 are a measure of the impact of the Boston and Sandwich Glass Co. As an outcome of the inventory work, the Commission has started a collection of copies of photographs of old houses and scenes, and has also obtained copies of a number of old deeds and wills for working out details of early land ownership.



The Commission has assembled information on the genealogy of many early families and is anxious to extend this with the aid of interested persons. We are in correspondence with descendants of old families around the country, in cooperation with the Town Clerk's office, the Historical Society and the Library, all of whom receive such questions frequently. In assembling historic records during 1972 the Commission has been greatly helped by being given access to papers and books held by the Historical Society by the First Church of Christ in Sandwich, by the Yesteryears Museum and by the estate of Mrs. Annie Rose. These debts are most gratefully acknowledged.

In conclusion the Commission strongly supported efforts to get a new Historic District Study Committee named, and has worked closely with that Committee since its inception to extend Historic District protection to wider areas of our old Town.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL A. LOVELL JR., Chariman  
DAVID F. WRIGHT, Secretary  
DANIEL CULLITY JR.  
BURTON J. JONES  
SUSAN B. ANDREWS  
C. RUGGLES SMITH  
W. GORDON SWAN

## Report of the Historic District Commission

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### **To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Submitted herewith is the report of the activities of the Sandwich Historic District Commission for the year 1972.

The meetings of the commission have been held as scheduled on the second Monday of the month with the exception of October when due to conflict with the holiday, the meeting was held the following Monday. In March Paul O'Connell, who had been chairman, resigned from the commission and Winthrop Davis was elected as chairman. Kathryn Bourne was re-elected to serve as secretary.

During the year seventeen applications for Certificates of Appropriateness have been submitted to the commission, two for new dwellings, one for a house on Grove Street for Mrs. Greta Colpak, the other for a house to be built on the rear portion of property owned by Russell Provost on Grove Street. Two other applications were for small buildings, one for a combination tool/wood shed to be attached to an existing barn on the property of Mr. Douglas Amidon on Main Street, the other a portable garden house to be placed at the rear of the property owned by Mr. Alton Davidson on School Street. All other applications were for alterations on existing buildings, minor repairs, painting or fencing. The largest building project in the district, the Daniel Webster Inn, the original plan for which was approved in December 1971, is now nearing completion.

Greater activity for the commission seems assured in 1973 when it will work with the study committee for the proposed East Sandwich Historic District. The work of this committee is now in progress to determine the extent of the areas to be included and the feasibility of combining the proposed district with the existing Sandwich district. It is hoped that by another year such a district will have been voted on and have become a reality.

The commission wishes to express appreciation and thanks to the members of the Board of Selectmen, the staff at Town Hall and the property owners in the district for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

WINTHROP H. DAVIS, Chairman

KATHRYN BOURNE, Secretary

GEORGE C. CAMPBELL

JAMES O. COLLINS

ELISABETH DURHAM

JOHN H. FIELD

BERTRAND D. FRENCH

SETH S. POPE

## Report of the Centennial Committee

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**To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich and the  
Honorable Board of Selectmen:**

Gentlemen:

In February 1972 the Board of Selectmen appointed the Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee. The responsibilities of the committee are to act in behalf of the Town of Sandwich to promote activities in advancing the memories and life of Mr. Burgess during the year 1974; being the 100th year anniversary of his birth in Sandwich.

Thornton W. Burgess was born on School St. January 14, 1874 and graduated from Sandwich High School in 1891. He later wrote hundreds of nature stories for children, instilling a lasting love of wildlife in many of todays adults. Peter Rabbit and his friends Jimmy Skunk, Sammy Jay, Johnny Chuck, Danny Meadowmouse, and all the others, had many exciting adventures in the Dear Old Briar Patch.

The committee has positively identified the Briar Patch area. It is a delightful wooded area, thick with briar and a multitude of native flora. In October a letter was sent to the Board of Selectmen, the Planning Board, and the Conservation Commission, requesting their consideration in preserving this unique area through conservation.

Early in the year the committee formally applied to the Postmaster General to have a Commemorative postage stamp in honor of Mr. Burgess. This effort, which was supported by Senator Brooke, Senator Kennedy, and Congressman Keith, is still under consideration.

We sincerely solicit the support and suggestions of everyone as we start making firm plans for the summer of 1974.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY E. TITCOMB, Chairman  
ELIZABETH G. PHILLIPS  
ROSANNA CULLITY  
W. GORDON SWAN  
RUSSELL A. LOVELL, JR.



## Report of the Dexter Grist Mill

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

Our season started on June 17 and closed September 30. This year we had a very cold spring and attendance fell off, but the good summer helped to bring it up again.

We ground fifteen tons of corn which amounted to 12,873 bags of cornmeal which we sold. Of this number, 845 bags were sold to stores in the vicinity and the rest to visitors at the Mill. The amount of bags sold to stores increases each year. The sale of the cornmeal amounted to \$4,279.50.

This year we had no combination ticket with the Glass Museum and Heritage Plantation, but continued the combination with the Hoxie House.

The retaining wall which was built last year was a great attraction to the visitors, both young and old, and the ducks and swans were very well fed this summer. Even though the Mill is closed there are many people who stop to feed them now and the Town sees that they do not lack for food during the winter.

May we hope to have more of the townspeople visit us next year. It is a most interesting and attractive place to bring your guests and we know they would enjoy it. Let's make 1973 the best year ever.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKE S. NORRIS, Miller

## Report of the Appeals Board

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Mass.**

Gentlemen:

Surprisingly, the Board had five less hearings scheduled this year than last, a total of thirty-eight (38).

Of twenty-six (26) petitions for special permits, nineteen (19) were granted, two (2) denied and two (2) denied without prejudice; one was withdrawn and two are pending.

Of the twelve (12) applications for variances, seven (7) were granted, one denied without prejudice and four (4) were denied. Two that were denied are being appealed in court.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ROBERTI, Chairman  
JOHN STOBART III, Vice-Chairman  
CHARLES FEARS III, Clerk  
JOHN HARVEY  
ROLAND DeCONTO  
ANN SULLIVAN, Alternate  
PETER CLOSSON, Alternate

# Report of the Sandwich Free Public Library

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## To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the citizens of the Town of Sandwich

I hereby submit the 82nd annual report of the Sandwich Public Library.

Growth is the word for 1972 in the library.

Circulation increased by 8,433, or 22 ½ per cent, to a total of 45,841, with the rate of gain about equal for all age groups, and in all categories — books, periodicals, records, pamphlets, films. One hundred and forty-seven interlibrary loan requests were filled, in comparison with 54 last year. In many more instances, we located material for direct access nearby. Union lists of holdings compiled by cooperating libraries help us to do this. Started this year in the Falmouth library's sub-regional headquarters is a card catalogue, to which we contribute, of adult non-fiction in Cape libraries. Since the cooperating libraries do not now have funds to film records of earlier titles, the catalog is incomplete, but will become increasingly useful.

Reference questions come in too many shapes and sizes for us to keep a meaningful count. We attest to their marked increase only by the volume of other work that piles up. In November, we acquired, on a trial basis, a coin-operated photocopier for public use. In the first month of trial some 725 copies were made by patrons — copies of documents, patterns, music, maps, pages of reference books, items of all kinds.

The library's book count (with 95 volumes withdrawn) stands at 28,505. While the number of new books catalogued (1,202) is about the same as last year's, the available collection was increased by an additional 557 books borrowed on long-term loan from the Massachusetts Eastern Regional Depository.

This depository was opened in May, 1972, with a stock of some 20,000 books, records and films, and with a weekly pick-up and delivery service to all member libraries. In our library, it is most useful for supplementing holdings either very costly, or of short-term interest, e.g., expensive art books, technical directories

and manuals, popular books on sports, light fiction, books temporarily in demand in relation to some public issue, duplicate copies of children's books for classroom use. As the depository develops, we hope it can supply records and cassettes, for which we have no funds.

To shelve our expanding collection conveniently we have added new periodical stacks in the west wing.

The number of people giving books, money, time, or talents to the library has more than doubled. We gratefully acknowledge gifts of books, or money for books, from sixty-one donors (exclusive of public or commercial agencies). A number of these books were given as memorials; all are appropriately plated. Last December's call for volunteer workers started something that seems to us dramatic. During 1972, a total of 36 gave regularly of their time. They provided weekly service to the home-bound; conducted pre-school story hours throughout the school year; completed inventory of the library's collection; took care of newspaper publicity; found and arranged exhibits from private collections; began the checking of standard catalogues; supplied flowers, plants, decorations; manned the loan desk in emergencies; typed, labeled, shifted books, and helped in countless "housekeeping" tasks. Without them we would have been overwhelmed by unmet needs. Elementary-school children, under the direction of their art teacher, Mrs. Lenore Dawson, and of Mrs. Robert L. White, made a frieze of favorite storybook characters around the children's-room walls. As attractive as the frieze are the upturned faces of fascinated youngsters gazing at it.

There were loan exhibits of: handicrafts by Sandwich young people, assembled by Mrs. Harold Hutcheson; Easter eggs from the collections of Russell A. Lovell, Jr., Peter N. Cross, and Mrs. R. H. Hawley; elementary-school conservation posters from the contest sponsored by the Sandwich Woman's Club and the Sandwich Junior Woman's Club; autographed literary works from the library of Francis Russell; old and favorite toys from the collection of Mrs. R. H. Hawley; antique paper dolls from Lucy Edgert; demitasses from Mrs. Ann Sullivan; the ecology text, **Environmental Management**, given by its authors, Morton and Marsha Gorden, with copies of the drawings used to illustrate it loaned by the artist, Winnie Fitch (Houston); stones, gems and sea things from Mrs. Evelyn Mott, Mrs. E. F. Rindfleisch, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coggeshall, and



Louise Walker; decorated tinware, furniture and china by Mrs. Robert Payne and Mrs. Charles Cheney; antique kitchen utensils from the collection of Mrs. G. D. Broderson; dolls from around the world collected by Mrs. William D. Murray. From May through December, the exhibits were planned and arranged by Mrs. Evelyn Mott, as chairman of the Exhibition Committee of the Sandwich Arts and Crafts Association.

All the activities recorded were undertaken to make the library both attractive and useful to an ever-increasing proportion of citizens. In this the staff is continuously involved. Books exhibited (all of them available for circulation) were selected to display our holdings for special occasions or in special fields, e.g. "New Year's nostalgia and laughter"; China background; campaign candidates and issues; "Cape-Cod things" (in the summer); mental health (with chart and pamphlet material supplied by Susan Hill and Mrs. Frank Spieldenner); literary-prize books; large-print books; the wide world for children. The reading club for children in the first six grades, an individualized reading program, was continued, with certificates awarded at a ceremony in the spring. This year we began marking, with a yellow strip on the spine, books of special interest to young adults. These are scattered throughout the collection, but some are brought together for display near the side entrance, where young people tend to congregate. The librarian visited the Elementary School to arrange for increased library participation. Mrs. Carlo Pola, as a volunteer representing the library, spoke to the Senior Citizens' Club about our special services and demonstrated talking books. We are officially represented at meetings of local organizations with the Council on Aging.

The library's Trustees have given thoughtful, active support to every aspect of its development.

There are now 3,746 registered borrowers in the active file, an increase of 532 in 1972. There are many more potential patrons who have yet to learn what the library is prepared to do for them.

In thinking about and planning for the library, I am increasingly aware of fragile values in our culture which a free public library, by its nature, affirms perhaps more than any other public institution. First, it is open in many ways: it is open without charge or prerequisites to all ages; its collection is open to all viewpoints on all subjects; its relation to its patrons is neither

manipulative nor judgmental — Defending the right to read and the right to know, it collects, records, preserves, publicizes, but neither insists nor censors. Second, it is concerned equally with past, present and future. In its philosophy, relevance (that over-worked word) is not limited by time. Third, in a period of “mass culture,” “group think,” “power blocks,” depersonalization, it continues to serve the individual, each according to his need — for information, recreation, understanding, inspiration, or personal growth. The quality of its collection, its facilities, its records, its staff, and its services affects every citizen, whether he enters its doors or not.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE WALKER,  
Librarian

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### Appendix:

Books, or money for books, donated by:

Mrs. Raymond Albright; Mrs. Joseph Bazzinotti; Allan S. Beale; Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Beale; Mrs. Antonio Bianchi; Kathryn Bourne; Gordon Browne; Caroline S. Burleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Peter P. Cook; Mrs. James A. Fisher; Beulah Folmsbee; Mrs. Helen W. French; Charles J. Gaupp; Mrs. Robert L. Gerling; Alfred C. Glas-sel, Jr.; Mrs. Lawrence F. Fortin; Mr. and Mrs. Morton Gorden; Mrs. Richard Gavazza; Clarence H. Haines; Virginia D. Harvey; Mrs. E. A. Hawkes; Richard S. Hawkes; Susan B. Hill; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Houston; Burton J. Jones; Mrs. Thomas B. LeNoir; Mr. Edward J. Leonard; Roberta H. McIntosh; Mrs. Robert D. McKillop; Mrs. Paul J. O'Connell; Mrs. James F. O'Dowd; Isabel Pifer; Mrs. Madeline Rose; Pearl Rosser; Francis Russell; Russell A. Scully; Jerome C. Sisson; Mrs. Eric E. Small; Mrs. G. Arthur Small; Mrs. Frank E. Spieldenner; Thomas M. Stetson, II; Mrs. Ann Sullivan; Mrs. John Sylvester; Mrs. Malcolm R. Taber, Sr.; Mark A. Tannenbaum; Mrs. Stanley A. Torrey; Eleanor Tupper; Mrs. Marion G. Van Vleck; Mrs. Henrietta Waite; Louise Walker; Mary A. Walker; Mrs. Frank V. Wennerstrom, Jr.; Wayne A. White; Mrs. J. Russell Wisner, Jr.; Cape Cod Community College; Sandwich Arts and Crafts Association; Sandwich Gardeners; Sand-

wich High School class of 1972; Sandwich Historical Society; Sandwich Woman's Club.

### **Volunteers:**

Mrs. Raymond W. Albright; Mrs. Douglas Amidon; Susan B. Andrews; Elizabeth Beale; Mrs. Myra Bell; Mrs. Thomas S. Casey; Eleanor Clarkson; Eleanor H. Cleare; Mrs. William Collins; Mrs. Matthew B. Connolly, Jr.; Mrs. Francis E. Conway; Mrs. Paul Ewer; Mrs. Joyce Fuller; Mrs. Stephen Hall; Mrs. Burton Jones; Mrs. Norman Klein; Mrs. I. A. Lindberg; Mrs. B. R. Lumpkin, Jr.; Mrs. John F. McCoy; Mrs. William P. McBride, Jr.; Mrs. Roger C. Mazerolle; Mrs. Evelyn Mott; Mrs. Robert Pease; Mrs. William B. Pierce; Mrs. Allen E. Peterson, Jr.; Mrs. Carlo Pola; Mrs. Francis Russell; Mrs. Walter Stahura; Mrs. H. K. Switzer; Mrs. Rodney P. Valentini; Mrs. Ronald K. Weimar; Mrs. D. R. Wood; Mrs. Archer Woodwell.

Other special services, not otherwise acknowledged in the text by:

Mrs. Chester Cross; Jerome Sisson; members of The Sandwich Gardeners.

**TRUSTEES' REPORT OF THE WESTON MEMORIAL  
LIBRARY FUND  
1972**

<b>Investments</b>	<b>Book Value</b>	<b>Mkt. Value Dec. 31, 1972</b>	<b>Total Income</b>
<b>Mary Crocket Baker Fund</b>			
Bass River Savings Bank	\$804.66	\$804.66	\$36.84
Plymouth Savings Bank	3,000.00	3,000.00	182.45
Consumers Power Co. Bond 5 7/8	10,177.70	10,150.00	587.50
Eastman Kodak	4,887.50	7,416.00	68.50
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	\$18,869.86	\$21,370.66	\$875.29
<b>Hannah B. Belcher Fund</b>			
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	\$469.19	\$469.19	\$26.16
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	4,000.00	4,000.00	240.00
American Tel. & Tel.	2,242.34	4,431.00	222.60
I. B. M.	3,034.00	3,618.00	48.60
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	\$9,745.53	\$12,518.19	\$537.36
<b>Anne B. Chamberlin Fund</b>			
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$60.00
<b>Harriet B. Faunce Fund</b>			
Plymouth Savings Bank	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$121.56
<b>J. Frank Giles Fund</b>			
Plymouth Savings Bank	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$121.56
<b>W. Dodge MacKnight Fund</b>			
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	\$35.37	\$35.37	.....
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	1,000.00	1,000.00	\$60.00
State Street Bank & Trust Co.	181,080.62	188,014.70	7,915.43
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	\$182,115.99	\$189,050.07	\$7,975.43
<b>Charles Macy Fund</b>			
Bass River Savings Bank	\$6,086.26	\$6,086.26	\$377.34
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	273.29	273.69	14.32
Hyannis Co-Op Bank	6,000.00	6,000.00	408.00
American Tel. & Tel Deb 5½	5,073.85	5,073.85	275.00
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	\$17,433.40	\$17,433.80	\$1,074.66
<b>Nathaniel Nye Fund</b>			
Plymouth Savings Bank	\$1,164.91	\$1,169.91	\$70.77
<b>Weston Fund</b>			
Bass River Savings Bank	\$3,626.79	\$3,626.79	\$223.63
Five Cent Savings Bank	1,000.00	1,000.00	61.46
Plymouth Savings Bank	7,447.46	7,447.46	456.31
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	3,000.00	3,000.00	180.00
Sandwich Co-Op Bank	600.00	600.00	33.00
Xxon Corporation	6,007.71	8,750.00	285.00
General Motors Inc.	2,755.88	3,244.00	178.00
I. B. M.	1,069.00	1,206.00	16.20
Plymouth Home National Bank	1,200.00	11,440.00	501.60
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	\$26,706.84	\$40,314.25	\$1,935.20
<b>Total All Funds</b>	<b>\$261,036.53</b>	<b>\$286,856.08</b>	<b>\$12,771.83</b>



## Report of the Clark - Haddad Memorial Building Trustees

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the  
Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:**

Submitted, herewith, is the report of the activities of your Trustees of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building.

This past year continued to be busy both in the program of improvement and in the increased citizens use of the building.

The citizens continue to use the building and apparently enjoy it. It was used by the American Legion, the Womans Auxiliary, the Sandwich Junior Womans Club, Arts and Crafts, Theater Work Shop for Children, Sandwich J.C., Sandwich Home Extension Group, supervised parties and dancing, and various other activities which make the building important to the town.

We are very pleased to be able to arrange a satisfactory schedule for the Sandwich Council on Aging.

At this time the Trustees of Clark-Haddad Memorial Building wish to thank the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich for their continued interest and support.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. VAN BUSKIRK, Chairman

CARL E. BAZZINOTTI

ALLAN R. CARPENTER

HENRY BUCKLEY

CHARLES WENNERSTROM

CARL L. HILER

Chairman, Board of Selectmen

Memorial Building Trustees

# Report of the Board of Health

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## **To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Sandwich**

The following is a report of the Board of Health for the year 1972.

The duties for the year 1972 have been multiplied due to the increase in population. This year has seen a tremendous growth in building and developments. The South Sandwich area in particular has had extensive growth.

New State laws have come into existence and must be enforced. This board has instituted new regulations especially as applies to lot development in areas where there is no town water. This is becoming a problem. Small lots as have existed are not conducive to efficient sewage disposal systems. New regulations by this board have done much to improve this position; both for the homeowner and ecology in general.

Mr. Koehler declined to run for office in 1972. In the many years that he held the chairmanship the affairs of the board were conducted with care and accuracy. Mr. Koehler made his home available for the care of records and meetings. Upon his retirement it was the decision of the new board and the retiring chairman that it was time to make a change. In March 1972 it was decided to conduct the business of the Board of Health in the town hall. Meetings are conducted there now. The agent for the board has office hours each day from Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. It is expected in 1973 these hours will be extended.

In 1973 it appears we will from time to time upgrade existing regulations and also institute new regulations as required.

The cooperation of the citizens as pertains to health regulations is solicited and expected, if we are to attain our goal of a clean and safe community.

### **Disposal Area**

The State law pertaining to sanitary landfills is very stringent. We have attempted to abide by those regulations. We do not at

this time say it is impossible in our present disposal area but it will take some extra planning and extra funds. We will attempt to comply with the State regulations. We ask the community in general to assist us in this attempt. Our program for 1973 will be costly. There is no longer any doubt that a new disposal area is needed. We recommend that selectmen proceed post haste to acquire the necessary acreage for a disposal area.

It is the intention of the Board of Health to conduct a Rabies Clinic in 1973. Dog bites continue to be our number one problem in this area. The State regulation states that all dogs must be vaccinated with Rabies Vaccine. We feel that we can help to make this program 100% for 1973.

### ELECTED OFFICIALS

Robert H. Ellis, Chairman,	Term expires 1974
Charles Wennerstrom, Vice-Chairman	Term expires 1973
Allan Peterson, Clerk	Term expires 1975

#### Appointed by the Board of Health

John H. Lewis	Medical Consultant
Miss Esther Howes	

Health Officer, Director, Barnstable County Board of Health  
 Leo H. Decoteau Sanitarian, Barnstable County Board of Health  
 Edward F. Montague

Inspector of Plumbing and Sanitary Installations

Mrs. Hilda Whitmore	Inspector of Animals
James George	Caretaker, Disposal Area
Victor Coppola	Asst. Caretaker, Disposal Area

### Licenses and Permits Issued 1972

Methyl Alcohol License	4
Recreation Camps — Overnight Camps — Hostels — Trailer Camps — Tent Camps — Summer Trailer Camps	36
Garbage — Offal and Pumping Cesspool Permits	14
Funeral Directors License	2
Sanitation Installers Permits	11
Swimming Pool License	6
Sanitation Permits To Install Septic Systems	350

Food Service Establishment Permits	28
Burial Certificates	14
Plumbing Permits	348
Complaints Investigated	57
International Travel Certificates	27
Sub-Divisions Investigated	12

The board appreciated the assistance and cooperation of all the Town officials. Specific thanks to the Barnstable County Board of Health for their able assistance at all times.

### **Mosquito Control**

Mr. Oscar Doane Jr. and his associates must be commended for doing a great job of clearing the marshes and other areas in Sandwich. At times they seem to be unsung heroes. In 1973 we have plans to call on Mr. Doane for his assistance in some trouble areas in Sandwich.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. ELLIS, Chairman  
CHARLES WENNERSTROM, Vice Chairman  
ALLAN PETERSON, Clerk

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IN MEMORIAM

ROBERT A. KOEHLER



## Report of the Public Health Nurse

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### **To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Sandwich**

Submitted below is my eighth Annual Report as Public Health Nurse for the Town of Sandwich.

Skilled nursing care, maternity care, health teaching, and health supervision to the Sandwich people in their own homes or through office visits are the ever present responsibilities and routine services of the Public Health Nurse.

To carry on routine services and to reach the growing health needs of Sandwich it seemed timely to make provisions for a Nurse Substitute in the Nursing Department Budget for 1972. Following Town Meeting approval of the budget in March, Mrs. Dawn Closson, R.N. was appointed Nurse Substitute.

Conferences and consultations, meetings attended, in service staff education, miles traveled, and patient transportation have been added to the Statistical Report for 1972 to give you a clearer understanding of the various activities of the Public Health Nurse.

The agreement with Cape Cod Homemaker Service, Inc. was renewed in March to provide home health aide services in homes where there are ill or disabled persons receiving care from the Public Health Nurse.

Therapy evaluations, therapy treatments, and consultations are available through the Nursing Department's contract with the Easter Seal Society, Inc.

Medicare, Welfare, and Veterans Services continue to benefit many of the townspeople.

The Nursing Department was recertified by Medicare in January and by the Regional Public Health Nursing Department in June.

Patient's records were reviewed and evaluated in May by Dr. Julius G. Kelley and the Advisory Board Record Review Sub-

committee, Miss Hazel Keith and Mrs. Carol Vigliano. Dr. Robert O'Doherty and the sub-committee reviewed the records again in December.

The Public Health Nurse serves on the Upper Cape Cod Mental Health Advisory Council as Vice President. Much work has been done during the year to open new programs and to promote public understanding in the field of Mental Health.

During the year, Cape Cod Community College students, studying for an Associate Degree in Nursing, have attended and observed the Well Child Conferences to fulfill a course requirement.

There have been less visits for each child to the Well Child Conferences this year. Smallpox vaccinations are no longer required for school admittance or for travel abroad. However, it is still given at the W.C.C. when requested by the parent or guardian of the child. Only one injection is necessary for immunization of Rubella and Measles as the vaccines have been combined.

The Public Health Nurse has participated in the community health planning and activities with many of the town organizations such as the Council on Aging, Lion's Club, Red Cross, Salvation Army, Sandwich Junior Woman's Club, and Sandwich Woman's Club.

## **ADVISORY BOARD**

The Town of Sandwich Nursing Department Advisory Board has held three meetings this year.

Board members have reviewed and updated all previous unfinished business, made recommendations and evaluated the Nursing Department, reviewed 1972 expenditures, made recommendations and approved the Proposed Budget for January 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974 before it was presented to the Sandwich Finance Committee.

The Board members put much thought and effort in planning the V.D. program that was presented to the community in December. The subject was chosen as V.D. has reached epidemic proportions. A sensible community attitude and sound education programs are needed to bring V.D. under control. The cooperation and participation of Dr. Gilbert Brinckerhoff, many town organizations, and the Sandwich High School representatives were sincerely appreciated by the Advisory Board.

Elections were held in September. Mr. Carlo Pola was elected Chairman and Mrs. Eleanor Bangs was elected Vice Chairman of the Advisory Board for a two year term.

Standing members of the Board include the Barnstable County Health Department Nursing Director, Board of Selectmen, Board of Health, Public Health Nurse, Substitute Nurse, Secretary to P.H.N., Officers of the Sandwich Health Association, School Nurse, and School Committee Chairman. The Chairman and a representative of the Council on Aging were added to the list of Standing Board Members in September. Other members of the Board are appointed prior to the September meeting of every even year.

### **ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERS**

**PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE:** Miss Frances M. Silva, R.N.

**NURSE SUBSTITUTE:** Mrs. Dawn Closson, R.N.

**CHAIRMAN:** Mr. Carlo A. Pola — Board of Selectmen

**VICE CHAIRMAN:** Mrs. Eleanor Bangs — President, S.H.A.

**SECRETARY:** Mrs. Merilyn Myers — Secretary, P.H.N.

Mrs. Irene Beers — Council on Aging

Mrs. Virginia Blake — Treasurer, S.H.A.

Mrs. Janet Davis — Sandwich School Nurse

Dr. J. Harold DeMers — Dentist

Mr. Roland DeConto — Chairman, Sandwich School Committee

Mr. Robert Ellis — Chairman, Board of Health

Mrs. Nancy Fleet, R.N.

Mrs. Marion Graves, R.N.

Mr. Carl H. Hiler — Chairman, Board of Selectmen

Miss Hazel Keith, R.N. — B.C.H.D., Director

Mrs. Ruth Kelley — Dietician

Dr. John H. Lewis — Physician

Mr. Albert Morse — Chairman, Council on Aging

Mr. Allen Peterson — Board of Health

Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips — Secretary, S.H.A.

Mr. Louis Roberti — Board of Selectmen

Mrs. Joanne Roby, R.N.

Mrs. Carol Vigliano, R.N.

Mr. Charles Wennestrom — Board of Health

In closing this report, the Public Health Nurse wishes to thank the Board of Selectmen, Departments, Organizations, Volunteers, and townspeople for their cooperation and consideration during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. SILVA, R.N.  
Public Health Nurse

## STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

### CONFERENCES

10 Well Child Conferences	210 attended
10 Well Woman Conferences	78 attended
1 Preschool Conference	38 attended

### IMMUNIZATIONS

DPT 1, 2, 3	27	MUMPS	44
DPT BOOSTERS	33	MEASLES	22
ORAL POLIO 1, 2, 3	32	RUBELLA	37
ORAL POLIO BOOSTERS	37	TINE TESTS	40
		SMALLPOX	0

### NURSING VISITS

	Office	Field	Total
Cases Admitted	7	154	161
Revisits	41	1,604	1,645
Not Home		37	37
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Total Visits	48	1,795	1,843
Disease Control	1,037	Health Promotion	713
Maternity	56	Not Home	37

### MEDICARE

Cases Admitted	14		
Revisits	123	Total Visits	137

(Medicare visits are included in Nursing Visits)



## ACTIVITIES

## Public Health Nurse

Conferences and Consultations	46	Meetings	31
In Service Education Meetings	9	Mileage	6,138
Patient Transportation	19	CPR	1

## Substitute Nurse

In Service Education	4	Mileage	203	CPR	1
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## HOMEMAKER SERVICE

Patients Having Home Health Aides	6
Hours Home Health Aides Worked	800

## EASTER SEAL PROGRAM

PHYSICAL THERAPY	Patients	6	Visits	56
SPEECH EVALUATION	Children	2	Visits	2

## Barnstable County Health Department 1972 Annual Report

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The year 1972 has been one of expansion and changes. Mary Susich retired as County Health Officer on January 31st and an acting administrator, Esther G. Howes, was appointed until July 1st when she became County Health Officer. There has been a replacement in the position of Junior Sanitarian. There are now four staff working with the State funded Handicapped Children's Clinic. There has been a vacancy in one of the two Nurse Director positions since February. There have been reclassifications of 5 positions in order to bring salaries into line with current local and state guidelines. Four new positions had been requested but were not made available.

The one Nurse Director has been able to provide consultation and supervision to some 64 public health nurses who work in schools and Home Health Agencies. Considerable emphasis has been placed on helping the professional advisory committees and the nurses in the Home Health Agencies so that standards of care and appropriate agency policies are available, and state and federal guidelines are met. Educational programs have been provided regularly in order to improve quality of care and to provide for expansion of services; cooperative planning has involved the local chapters of voluntary health agencies. The development of more comprehensive school health services has been continued, for the third year in one town, and for the first year in another. This work has begun with a restatement of the purpose of health programs in schools, a request for a waiver of certain state regulations in order to implement a different program, and has led to efforts to identify children's individual needs early, to develop systems of carrying out important screening techniques, and to arrange coordinated planning for children with special health needs. School systems are being encouraged to look at the responsibilities of school nurses, and roles of school physicians, at policies pertaining to the administration of medication and treatment at school, at the differences and similarities in the processes in health services and in health education.

**Medical Social Work** emphasis this year has been directed towards the improvement of communication between the Department of Public Health, the Department of Mental Health, and the Department of Education in order to provide the best services possible to children with physical handicaps and other special needs. As the agency delegated by the state to recommend licenses to nursery schools, and as administrator of the Handicapped Children's Clinic, the Barnstable County Health Department is in a unique position to do this. Meetings have been held with the staff of the Cape Cod Mental Health Center, the Association for Retarded Children, local Home Health Agencies, public health nurses, local school nurses, and directors and teachers of the Cape Nursery Schools. This has been done in an effort to help plan for children already in the Public Schools and those who will be future students.

It has been necessary to add an additional Social Worker to the staff this year to work with the Handicapped Children's Clinic and as a result it has been possible to make pre-clinic visits to almost all of the new patients admitted to the Clinic. The Social Work staff have served over 120 families in 1972 and as a result have become aware of the increasing need for a Family Service Agency on Cape Cod.

The Social Workers have been active in many local and state planning groups and have taken continuing education courses throughout the year.

**The Handicapped Children's Clinic** staff includes four state funded positions; a physical therapist, a medical social worker, and two secretaries. Services now include not only orthopedic consultation and treatment, but pediatric assessment, and neurologic consultation and treatment including referrals to a Plastic Clinic and arrangements for hospitalization and out-patient care at New England Medical Center and at Mt. Auburn Hospital. Children up to the age of 21 years are seen when referred by their family physicians. 323 children are now being followed, the majority have multiple problems involving the need for periodic re-evaluation, treatment, special equipment and surgical intervention based on their progress, development and age. It is now possible to provide progress reports to the family physicians and to the schools when indicated. The physical therapist also has provided much consultation to school nurses and physical



education teachers so that the special needs of these handicapped children can be met at school, and so that no child will miss the opportunity of having appropriate physical education activities. She has assisted one school in an experimental posture screening and remedial program, and an illustrated instructional booklet has been prepared for teacher use. Scoliosis screening at appropriate age levels is now in effect in two school systems and could be developed in others.

**The Dental Hygienist** has continued to provide dental health education and consultation service to parent groups, nurses, teachers and school programs. Motivating children to good oral health practice and educating the public in the prevention of dental disease must be done as long as dental caries continues to be a top priority public health problem.

Direct services such as screening and topical fluoride programs were limited to pre-school children and Head Start programs. During the summer months fluoride clinics for children entering school in the fall were held in two towns.

Plans to continue an epidemiological research study of tooth enamel to determine the fluoride content are pending for the coming year. This study will be conducted in the Barnstable School System in conjunction with the Barnstable County Health Department and the Forsyth Dental Research Center.

**Environmental Health Report:** Inspections are being carried out as provided by the Massachusetts State Sanitary Code for eating establishments, swimming pools, recreational camps, tent sites, and local sewage systems.

This was the year of the "Red Tide" which caused heavy economic losses to the shell fishing industry on the north shore but no fatalities. "Red Tide" refers to the presence of the organism, gonyaulax, which causes paralytic shellfish poisoning. In handling this situation we received excellent cooperation from the Boards of Health, Shellfish Constables and Police Departments. This is the first emergency that we can recall where an organization was formed in a matter of hours to cope with the situation. This should be further developed for emergency use in the future.



This year we have expanded our laboratory activities to include examination of shellfish and expanded chemical examination of shellfish and expanded chemical examination of water and sewage.

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The remodelling of office areas and of the Health Department laboratory has meant some inconvenience; the additional office space now provides more privacy and efficiency in operation. Additional office equipment and laboratory equipment is planned for.

In reviewing goals for this year we had given priority in strengthening staff and services in Environmental Health, and Medical Social Work and reclassification of staff positions. We must continue this in the coming year also.

#### 1972 Department personnel included:

Esther G. Howes, R.N., M.N., M.S., County Health Officer and Certified Health Officer

Ruth J. Alvezi, Principal Clerk

\*Barbara Banus, O.T.R., M.A., Developmental Therapist

\*Walter Chow, Sanitary Inspector, part time

Alice Dalzell, Public Health Dental Hygienist

Leo H. Decoteau, R.S., B.A., Public Health Sanitarian and Certified Health Officer

Mary E. Dwyer, Junior Clerk

\*Ronald A. Gifford, R.S., B.S., Public Health Sanitarian

Mildred M. Gillis, C.S.W., B.A., Medical Social Worker

Stetson R. Hall, R.S., Public Health Sanitarian

Carol M. Hunter, Head Clerk

Sandra B. Jones, Senior Clerk

Hazel Keith, R.N., M.S., Nursing Director I

\*Harriet H. Nelson, B.A., Assistant Medical Social Worker

Richard M. Sturtevant, R.S., M.Sc., Public Health Sanitarian

Florence M. Whiteley, R.P.T., B.S., Public Health Physical Therapist

\* Resigned

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER G. HOWES,  
County Health Officer

January 10, 1973

## Report of the Council on Aging

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**Honorable Board of Selectmen,  
Town of Sandwich,  
Sandwich, Mass.**

Gentlemen:

At the annual town meeting of Sandwich in March, 1972 it was voted to accept Article #22 to create a Council on Aging, the purpose of which is to coordinate and carry out a program designed to meet the problems of the aging and to help make a better life for them in their leisure years. The Article also appropriated the sum of \$1,000.00 for the aforementioned purpose.

According to the Article the Board of Selectmen appointed a Council consisting of seven members, i.e.:

3 for 3 years

2 for 2 years

2 for 1 year

The first meeting of the Council was held on April 14, 1972, when officers were elected to serve a term OF ONE (1) YEAR.

In May 1972 the Council held a meeting of all elderly residents of the Town of Sandwich — over 170 attended. The purpose of the meeting was to meet the elderly residents and to have them meet their Council. AT THIS MEETING THE SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB OF SANDWICH was formed. The Club has its own officers and directors consisting of a President; Vice President; Secretary; Treasurer and three Directors. They make their own rules and are self-governed. This Social Club has a present membership of over 300 active members.

To assist them in establishing the Social Senior Citizens Club, the Council gave them a grant of \$275.00. At their first regular meeting the Chairman of the Council presented the President of the Club with a gavel. The Council also assured them that they would be available for any moral support or assistance.

Upon completion of the formation of the Senior Citizens Club and reassurance that it was stable, the Council set out to fulfill

their other obligations, with a view of making a better life for all the elderly residents of the Town.

i.e.:

1. A discount program, with a list of over 40 participating merchants.
2. A Survey was made and a record card of every elderly resident in the town was set up.
3. A Questionnaire was prepared to assist in determining the needs of the elderly residents.
4. Town-Seal Residents Identification Cards were printed.

Following the October 1972 meeting of the Senior Citizens Club, the Council members registered Senior Citizens and gave them each a copy of the list of the Discount program; a questionnaire and Identification Card bearing the Town Seal. The questionnaire was to be completed by them and returned to the Council.

The following week, each day, members of the Council were at the Town Hall for the same purpose of registration; then again on Election Day, at the voting place there was registration available for the elderly town residents.

The Council has, AFTER A LONG AND ARDUOUS TASK, been able to open a Drop-In Center for two days a week, i.e. on Wednesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. at the Clark-Haddad Memorial Hall (American Legion) on Dewey Ave., Sandwich. They look forward to a BROADER SCOPE IN THEIR PROGRAM AS SOON AS FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE.

The Council also have engaged an answering-service to assist them in their tasks. They also have made plans for a referral center and meeting room on Pleasant Street, Sandwich.

The Council on Aging is among the newest formed organizations in the town and proud to announce in view of the above facts they feel the need for their existence is justified. Responses to their programs have been most gratifying.

It is to be noted that the success and the implementation of the above is also to the credit of the unfailing assistance and sup-

port of the Selectmen, Messr. Carl Hiler and J. Louis Roberti who have always assisted us in our many endeavors.

Respectfully submitted,

MR. ALBERT R. MORSE, Chairman  
MRS. WALTER BEERS, Vice Chairman  
MRS. HARVEY A. MAGNANT, Secretary  
MISS DOROTHY GALLANT, Treasurer  
MRS. ROBERT SCHINDLER  
MR. CAESAR ALVEZI  
MR. WILLIAM DUNCAN



## Report of Special Town Meeting

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**January 17, 1972**

The meeting was called to order in the Henry T. Wing School Auditorium at 7:45 P.M. by Mr. Hiler, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who then introduced Mr. William Bullock as the newly appointed Town Moderator to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Willard Boyden, who has resigned due to illness.

**Article 1.** To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, or eminent domain under Chapter 79 of the General Laws, or otherwise, of certain land necessary for school purposes, located on Quaker Meeting House Road, and to raise and appropriate a sum or sums of money for said purpose, and to determine how any such appropriation shall be raised, whether from taxation, from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, and if by borrowing, to authorize the issuance of notes of the Town at one time, or from time to time, under any enabling authority or do anything relative thereto.

**VOTED:** By a counted vote of 384 for and 4 opposed that the Selectmen be authorized to acquire by purchase, or take by eminent domain under Chapter 79 of the General Laws, or otherwise, the following four described parcels of land for school purposes, all of which are shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Land on Quaker Meeting House Road," dated January 4, 1972, drawn by William Taylor, R.L.S., and filed with the Town Clerk.

Parcel 1. For the sum of \$75,000.00 a parcel of land owned by Martha F. Knight MacEachern of about 20.6 acres, as shown on the above mentioned plan.

Parcel 2. For the sum of \$60,000.00 a parcel of land owned by Nelson O. Johnson et ux, of about 20.2 acres as shown on the above mentioned plan.

Parcel 3. For the sum of \$28,000.00 a parcel of land of owners unknown, of about 15.94 acres, as shown on the above mentioned plan.

Parcel 4. For the sum of \$20,000.00, a parcel of land owned by the estate of Willard B. Harwood, of about 11.0 acres, as shown on the above mentioned plan.

And that the sum of \$183,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of acquiring by purchase, or the taking by eminent domain of the four parcels of land as herein authorized.

**Article 2.** To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift, from the Cape and Vineyard Electric Company, two parcels of land in Sandwich; parcel one being located at the junction of Route 6A and Main Street (Route 130) shown as parcel A4 on sheet 1 of the Assessors' Maps, containing about 2.38 acres. Parcel two being located on Main Street (Route 130) being Parcels R7, R8, R9 and R11 on sheet 1 of the Assessors Maps, containing about 2.05 acres, or do anything relative thereto.

It was VOTED UNANIMOUSLY that the Town accept as a gift, from the Cape and Vineyard Electric Company, two parcels of land in Sandwich, parcel one being located at the junction of Route 6A and Main Street (Route 130) shown as A4 on sheet 1 of the Assessors' Maps, containing about 2.38 acres, parcel two being located on Main Street (Route 130) being parcels R7, R8, R9 and R11 on sheet 1 of the Assessors' Maps, containing about 2.05 acres and in accepting said parcels the Town extends its thanks and appreciation to the Cape and Vineyard Electric Company for the gift to the Town.

Meeting adjourned 8:05 P.M.

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk,  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

## Report of the Annual Town Meeting

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**March 6, 1972**

The Meeting was called to order at 7:45 P.M. by the Moderator, Mr. William A. Bullock.

The Invocation was offered by the Reverend John H. Thomas of St. John's Episcopal Church, Sandwich.

The Moderator appointed four tellers for the meeting: Messrs. Herbert Weaver, George Sutton, Wilfred Graves and Fred Morey.

Mr. Hiler moved the adoption of the following resolution:

In Town Meeting assembled on this sixth day of March 1972:

WHEREAS, the boys' basketball team of Sandwich High School has shown proficiency in the art of playing the game of basketball; and

WHEREAS, the boys' basketball team completed the regular season with a won-loss record of seventeen wins and one loss; and

WHEREAS, the boys' basketball team won the Cape and Islands League Championship for the first time since the League was established; and

WHEREAS, the boys' basketball team was the first championship team representing Sandwich High School since 1931, a period of forty-one years; and

WHEREAS, the boys' basketball team was runner-up in the Principals' Tournament for the first time since its inception; and

WHEREAS, the boys' basketball team was the first Sandwich High School basketball team to qualify for the State Basketball Tournament; therefore be it

**Resolved,** That the Town of Sandwich recognize the achievements of this years boys' basketball team of the Sandwich High School.



**Resolved,** That a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to James H. Sibson, Principal of Sandwich High School; Robert C. Inman, Coach; and to each member of the boys' basketball team.

**Resolved,** That the Board of Selectmen proclaim a Sandwich High School Boy's Basketball Team Day at which time said team will be honored by the townspeople of Sandwich.

Mr. Alvezi seconded this motion, and it was **unanimously voted.**

The reading of the complete Warrant was dispensed with by Unanimous Vote.

**Article 1.** To hear the reports of all Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon, or take any action thereto.

Mr. Hamlen, Chairman of the Finance Committee, moved that the reports of all Town Officers, Boards and Departments be accepted as printed in the 1971 Annual Town Report, subject to errors in printing. The motion was seconded.

Mr. Pola questioned what had been done during the past year in reference to the Resolution as voted unanimously in March 1971, under Article 35, in the Town Warrant of March 1971.

Mr. Hiler, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, reported that the Selectmen, the Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission and the Barnstable County Selectmen's Association had all been watching the situation at Otis and the Selectmen felt they were keeping fully abreast of the developments. A copy of the Resolution as passed by the Town had been sent to State Officials.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the reports of all Town Officers, Boards and Departments be accepted as printed in the 1971 Annual Town Report, subject to errors in printing.

**Article 2.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1972 and January 1, 1973, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17, or take any other action relative thereto.



**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1972 and January 1, 1973, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

**Article 3.** To see if the Town will fix the salaries of all elected officers as provided in Section 108 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen pointed out that any of the salary increases, which are recommended, fall within the 5.5% as recommended by the Federal Pay Board to adjust for the cost of living over the 1971 salaries.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the salaries of the elected Town Officials be as follows, retroactive to January 1, 1972:

Chairman of Selectmen	\$6,330.00
Selectmen (2)	5,275.00 each
Assessors (3)	1,055.00 each
Treasurer	3,480.00
Tax Collector	4,958.00
Town Clerk	1,582.00
Moderator	100.00
Highway Surveyor	7,900.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Board of Health:	
Chairman	738.00
Vice Chairman	685.00
Clerk	685.00

**Article 4.** To hear the report of the Finance Committee and to raise and appropriate monies as may be needed to defray Town expenses for the fiscal year 1972 or do anything relative thereto.

### **BUDGET**

	<b>Approp. 1971</b>	<b>Recommended 1972</b>
Legislative	\$400.00	\$750.00
Law	15,000.00	15,000.00
Certification of Notes	100.00	1,000.00
Interest	26,575.00	24,125.00
Selectmen	19,500.00	20,650.00

	Approp. 1971	Recommended 1972
Assessors	14,050.00	17,900.00
Accountant	9,100.00	7,780.00
Clerical — SA&A	17,500.00	19,320.00
Treasurer	5,170.00	5,380.00
Tax Collector	8,125.00	8,358.00
Town Clerk	2,755.00	3,382.00
Clerical — Treas., etc.	16,900.00	18,105.00
Election & Registration	3,685.00	9,150.00
Fire & Police Building	11,210.00	11,300.00
Town Hall	7,980.00	6,100.00
Police	169,491.20	199,319.00
Communications Center	25,087.00	27,320.00
Fire	65,372.60	108,245.00
Forest Warden	2,250.00	1,600.00
Woods Roads	700.00	700.00
Insect Pest Control	4,700.00	4,700.00
Dutch Elm Control	5,500.00	7,500.00
Tree Warden	6,300.00	6,300.00
Wire Inspector	1,920.00	2,020.00
Building Inspector	8,200.00	9,380.00
Gas Inspector	2,000.00	2,000.00
Health & Sanitation	24,481.75	36,120.00
Public Health Nurse	28,520.00	28,844.00
Highway General	66,000.00	69,900.00
Finance Committee	500.00	500.00
Veterans Services	15,000.00	20,000.00
School	699,763.61	890,662.00
Library	6,000.00	10,800.00
Miscellaneous	500.00	500.00
Clark Haddad	2,500.00	2,940.00
Street Lights	11,500.00	12,500.00
Planning Board	5,750.00	5,700.00
Appeal Board	600.00	1,000.00
Historic District Commission	200.00	200.00
Park Department	20,560.00	24,845.00
Memorial Day	600.00	600.00
Christmas Lighting	2,000.00	2,000.00
Tax Title Account	600.00	2,000.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00	1,000.00
Town Reports & Warrants	2,800.00	3,500.00
4th of July Celebration	2,000.00	2,200.00
Public Entertainment	500.00	500.00
Town Advertising	500.00	500.00

Binding Town Records	500.00	500.00
Green Head Fly Control	422.00	422.00
Summer Recreation	13,380.00	18,591.00
Fish & Game	300.00	100.00
Town Insurance	12,500.00	20,000.00
Town Clock	500.00	500.00
Cemeteries	2,500.00	3,500.00
Conservation	2,990.00	3,460.00
Vocation School — Capital & Operation		
Cost — 1972	50,847.85	47,755.08
Principal Payments on		
1958 School Loan	25,000.00	25,000.00
Principal Payments on		
1963 School Loan	50,000.00	50,000.00
Interest on Tax Anticipation Loan	4,000.00	5,000.00
Sandwich Historical Commission		1,500.00
Engineering Department	20,000.00	23,810.00
Civil Defense	400.00	795.00
Town Garage		7,200.00
Shell Fish Warden		
Propagation — Shellfish		550.00

Mr. Hamlen noted that the seven largest increases represent the increased cost of required and proposed services, while the other increases represent a normal increase in the cost of operating expenses.

Since the Cape Cod Vocational-Technical School budget was presented, they have received an additional state reimbursement covering transportation costs and therefore their appropriation is reduced by \$4,305.77, to a total of \$43,449.31, a reduction reflected in the amount being recommended by the Finance Committee.

Mr. Hamlen moved, and the motion was seconded, that the Town raise and appropriate \$1,858,572.31 for the budget of 1972, divided among the respective accounts, as printed in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1972 under Article 4.

Mrs. McLean questioned many of the budgeted items and Mr. Hiler explained the increases and figures as projected for 1972.

Mrs. Leydon, a member of the Recreation Commission, and Mr. Valentini, Chairman of the Recreation Commission, explained the necessity for increases because of increased activities.

In answer to a question concerning the increase in the number of men for the Fire Department, Mr. Swan, Chairman of the Board



of Fire Engineers, explained that three basic factors were involved; 1) rapid growth of the Town, 2) responsibility for the operation of the ambulance, and 3) availability of manpower during the daytime hours. He pointed out that new building construction — over the past four years, \$14,000,000, with an increase of 61% in fire calls and 32% in ambulance calls. The availability of manpower during the daytime hours is of primary concern to the Department. The six additional men being requested will make possible the assignment of two men for ambulance duty and four men for fire duty during the daytime hours. This initial response would be supplemented by available call men.

In answer to a further question, Mr. Swan said the men would be stationed at the main station, except for coverage in Forestdale and East Sandwich during the ten summer weeks.

Mr. Crowell answered questions on the School Committee items.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,858,572.31 for the Budget of 1972, divided among the respective accounts as printed in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1972 under Article 4.

**Article 5.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for roads under the provisions of Section 26-29 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$7,900.00 for the Town's share and that \$21,725.00 be transferred and appropriated from Surplus Revenue for the State's share for roads, under the provisions of Sections 26-29 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws.

**Article 6.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Quaker Meeting House Road, or do anything relative thereto.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$55,500.00 and transfer and appropriate \$5,000.00 from Cotuit Road Chapter 90 Funds and to transfer and appropriate \$25,000.00 from Surplus Revenue for Highway Construction under Chapter 90 on Quaker Meeting House Road.



**Article 7.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to a Reserve Account or do anything relative thereto.

It was moved and seconded: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$20,000.00 from the Overlay Surplus Account for the Reserve Account.

After further discussion, a motion was made and seconded to amend the motion as presented to read that the Town raise and appropriate \$20,000.00 for the Reserve Account. This motion was NOT carried.

VOTED: By voice vote. That the Town transfer and appropriate \$20,000.00 from the Overlay Surplus Account for the Reserve Account.

**Article 8.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill Restoration Income Account for the operation and maintenance of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$17,119.75 from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill Income Account for the maintenance and operation of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill.

**Article 9.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate \$520.50, received from the State as Public Library Aid, to the Library Appropriation Account, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$520.50, received from the State as Public Library Aid, to the Library Appropriation Account.

**Article 10.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for groin construction and repairs in cooperation with the State and County under Chapter 91 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen reported for the Finance Committee that the groins at East Sandwich Beach had begun to show deterioration and work was necessary. Mr. Pola questioned who initiates such action. Mr. Hiler replied that every year the state engineers discuss with the Selectmen the situation on shore protection. Study showed that the groins in the Spring Hill Beach and East Sandwich area are in need of work; the Town petitions the state.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town raise and appropriate \$15,000.00 for groin construction and shore protection work under Chapter 91 of the General Laws.

**Article 11.** To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

**Article 12.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for the purchase for conservation purposes of three adjoining parcels of land situated next to the entrance to Old Harbor owned respectively by Eleanor Spurr, Donald B. Jones and Lombard C. Jones, and to accept as a gift another adjoining parcel owned by Donald, Meredith and Kathryn Bourne, and to authorize the Sandwich Conservation Commission to apply for State contributory grants under the applicable state law.

Mr. Thomas Toohey asked if there was no way to create a Sandwich Harbor at this area. He felt such a harbor for small boats was needed. Mr. Hiler said the land in question was given for conservation projects and was subject to restrictions for preserving it as a natural habitat for wild life, and there would be no possibility of dredging for a harbor.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town raise and appropriate \$46,625.00 and to transfer and appropriate \$46,625.00 from Surplus Revenue for the purchase by the Conservation Commission

for conservation purposes of three adjoining parcels of land situated next to the entrance to Old Harbor shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Subdivision of land of Jane B. Waterman, Lombard C. Jones, Donald B. Jones and Eleanor Spurr" drawn by Newell B. Snow, R.L.S. dated May 31, 1968.

Parcel 2 — For the sum of \$32,500.00, a parcel of land owned by Lombard C. Jones of about 14.9 acres as shown on the above mentioned plan.

Parcel 3 — For the sum of \$42,000.00 a parcel of land owned by Donald B. Jones of about 19.88 acres as shown on the above mentioned plan.

Parcel 4 — For the sum of \$18,750.00 a parcel of land owned by Eleanor Spurr of about 7.1 acres as shown on the above mentioned plan.

And to vote to accept as a gift Parcel 1 of about 22 acres, as shown on the above mentioned plan owned by Donald Bourne, Meredith W. Bourne and Kathryn Bourne. The acquiring of the parcels is with the understanding that they are not to be built upon and that they be permanently maintained as open space for recreational use, subject to appropriate restrictions for preserving them as a natural habitat for wild life.

**Article 13.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$225.00 to pay land damages and expenses in connection with the county taking of Harlow Road as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town raise and appropriate \$225.00 to pay land damages and expenses in connection with the County taking of Harlow Road as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

**Article 14.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the salary, equipment, and operating expenses of a full-time combination Dog Officer and Game Conservation Officer to work under the Board of Selectmen, with police authority to enforce the laws pertaining to the activities, or do anything relative thereto.

In answer to questions from the floor, it was established that there would be one officer, who would have combined duties in both areas, and that the appropriation as considered was \$6,850.00 for salary, \$4,200.00 for equipment, the remaining \$1,800.00 covering care of dogs, gas and oil and insurance; the work week would be 45 hours.

The Chief of Police spoke in favor of this article, pointing out



that this work could not be done effectively on a part time basis. He felt that it would relieve the Police Department of duties not really theirs but performed by them since no one else was available.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$12,850.00 for the salary, equipment and operating expenses of a full-time combination Dog Officer and Game Conservation Officer to work, under the Board of Selectmen, with Police authority to enforce the laws pertaining to the activities.

**Article 15.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for architectural services for plans and specifications for a new Junior-Senior High School and determine otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

(Request of the School Building Committee)

Mr. Hamlen: Since the Town, through purchase, has established the location for a Junior-Senior High School, the next step is to design a building for future consideration. The School Building Committee, under authority granted them, have entered into a contract with an architect to prepare plans and specifications for the proposed school. All standard architect contracts state that 75% of their fee is due and payable when the plans and specifications go out to bid. Since the School Building Committee does not have the money available for this fee, it is necessary, before the work on a building plan is undertaken, for the money to be made available.

We understand that the architects fees will become a part of the capital outlay cost which will be reimbursed to the Town, on a 50% basis, after the final determination has been made of the complete cost of the project.

So that the total impact of the appropriation is not reflected in the 1972 tax rate, it is proposed to raise \$70,000.00 and to authorize the borrowing of \$200,000.00 for 5 years as allowed under the General Laws for this purpose.

The **motion** was made and seconded: That the sum of \$270,000 be appropriated for architectural services for plans and specifications for a new Junior-Senior High School to be located on land of the Town off Quaker Meeting House Road and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$70,000.00 shall be raised by taxation and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$200,000.00 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7 (21) as amended and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor.



Mr. Hiler then presented an Amendment to this motion: That the sum of \$270,000.00 be raised and appropriated for architectural services for plans and specifications for a new Junior-Senior High School, to be located on Town owned land, off Quaker Meeting House Road.

Mr. Hiler explained that since the printing of the Warrant, additional information had been received, regarding state reimbursement which will favorably affect our 1972 tax rate, and it was now felt that to pay as you go would be a better procedure under the circumstances.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the sum of \$270,000.00 be raised and appropriated for architectural services for plans and specifications for a new Junior-Senior High School, to be located on Town owned land off Quaker Meeting House Road.

For the School Building Committee, Mr. O'Connell presented a resume of plans and an explanation of slides which were shown, pointing out that the slides were merely preliminary plans, but were presented to give an idea of what could be done. Plans would be for a 700 pupil Junior-Senior High School with 19 classrooms, science area, resource center, area for industrial arts, for arts and crafts, for home economics, commercial work, administrative and guidance space, health unit, music room, 1,000 seat auditorium, 1,000 seat gym, swimming area, ball fields, and other play areas. Mr. O'Connell explained that with the money appropriated for the architect, it was possible to have a design, which when state approved, would be brought back to the people of Sandwich for consideration.

Questions were asked from the floor, the main concern being the type of school building proposed, the type of classrooms proposed, whether a swimming area was necessary, and the fate of the present Henry T. Wing School. Mr. O'Connell said that many details had not been resolved, that plans could be altered when they would be brought up for further discussion.

A further amendment to the motion under Article 15 was offered: That the Town raise and appropriate \$270,000.00 for architectural services for plans and specifications for a new Junior-Senior High School and also for architectural services in connection with remodeling, refurbishing and additions to the present Henry T. Wing School. This amendment was **Voted Unanimously.**

In answer to further discussion from the floor, Mr. O'Connell and Mr. Crowell stated that there would be alternatives presented

in the plans. Citizens would have a chance to study these plans and changes could be made.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** Motion on Article 15, as amended: That the sum of \$270,000.00 be raised and appropriated for architectural services for plans and specifications for a new Junior-Senior High School, to be located on Town owned land off Quaker Meeting House Road and also for architectural services in connection with remodeling, refurbishing and additions to the present Henry T. Wing School.

**Article 16.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the construction and equipping of an addition to the Henry T. Wing School to be used for classroom facilities, and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen stated that the additions, which were made to the Henry T. Wing School, in 1958 and 1962, were intended to accommodate 650 pupils. The school enrollment, at the present time, is 925 pupils. Therefore, the school facilities are greatly handicapped for classroom space. You are all familiar with the proposal to bus some classes to available buildings in Otis. Also, double sessions have been discussed. So far both of these situations have been avoided by using all, and any, space which could be turned into classrooms.

With existing conditions and projected pupil enrollment for the 1972-1973 school year, some move is necessary to relieve the classroom situation.

The School Committee requested consideration of the purchase of portable classrooms as covered under Article 17. Also, the School Committee requested the School Building Committee to consider the space problem and propose a solution. The School Building Committee, in an effort to solve the problem, are proposing an addition to the school as covered in this Article.

It has been realized for some time that the dining room or cafeteria facilities, as they exist at present, are inadequate. The Building Committee are proposing the construction of an addition, to be centrally located, which will eventually be the dining room area for the elementary school. For the present, it could be converted and used for 6 classrooms to relieve the pressure on the classroom situation.

The motion was made and seconded: That the sum of \$300,000.00 be appropriated for the construction and equipping

of an addition to the Henry T. Wing School to be available for classroom facilities and to meet such appropriation, the sum of \$100,000.00 shall be raised by taxation and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$200,000.00 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 3 of the General Laws and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor.

Discussion followed, and by unanimous vote, Mr. Campbell, School Superintendent, was given the privilege of the floor.

In answer to questions, Mr. Campbell stated that only if the building, both new and addition to Henry T. Wing School, were a complete package would the state reimburse the 50%. No reimbursement would be received on action as projected in either Article 16 or 17.

Comments that space was needed in September, and would not be available by then, led to a motion made, seconded and **Carried**, that Article 16 be tabled.

**Article 17.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of portable classrooms, for the Henry T. Wing School, and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the School Committee)

A motion was made and seconded that: the sum of \$200,000 be appropriated for the purchase of seven equipped portable classrooms, for the Henry T. Wing School, and to meet such appropriation, the sum of \$50,000.00 shall be raised by taxation and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$150,000.00 under and pursuant with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 44, and to issue notes or bonds of the Town therefor.

Mr. Crowell stated that since the Article had been drawn up, research with the Department of Education had brought out the fact that portable classrooms could be leased for a period of three years. These could be secured with a 15% State reimbursement. The total cost on a three-year lease with option to buy would amount to \$54,700.00 a year, a total of \$164,100.00, with a 15% reimbursement or \$140,085.00. He stated that additional costs of sewage and utilities had not been determined. He stated that the Town would own the buildings at the end of three years. This solution would provide the needed space by September. Mr. Crowell felt that in two years, the move could be made to the new building.



Mr. Crowell then moved an amendment to the motion on Article 17: To see if the Town will vote to contract for seven portable classrooms for a period of three years and raise and appropriate the sum of \$54,700.00 for the first contract year and an additional \$50,000.00 for furnishings and utility connections.

Discussion followed on the type of room the portable classrooms would provide. The financial feasibility of expending nearly \$200,000.00 for temporary quarters versus the spending of \$300,000.00 for a permanent addition was presented. The time element made it important that the space be available this September.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** Motion on Article 17, as amended: That the Town contract for seven portable classrooms for a period of three years and raise and appropriate the sum of \$54,700 for the first contract year and an additional \$50,000.00 for furnishings and utility connections.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** To remove Article 16 from the table.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That Article 16 be indefinitely postponed.

A motion to adjourn was not carried.

The Moderator declared a recess for ten minutes.

**Article 18.** To see if the Town will vote to accept cemetery Perpetual Care Funds, now in the hands of the Treasurer, the income to be used for the perpetual care of lots in Bay View Cemetery, \$500.00 for the lot of Andrew and Viola DeGraw, and \$300.00 for the lot of Ernest and Elizabeth VanBuskirk.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town accept Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds, now in the hands of the Treasurer, the income to be used for the perpetual care of lots in Bay View Cemetery, \$500.00 for the lot of Andrew and Viola DeGraw, and \$300.00 for the lot of Ernest and Elizabeth VanBuskirk.

A motion made and seconded that Article 30 be considered at this time was Not Carried.

**Article 19.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, to be expended to the Cape Cod Mental Health Association, for services rendered to the citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset, under the direction of the Board of Health, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5 (40c) of the General Laws.

(By Request of the Cape Cod Mental Health Center)



Mr. Hamlen pointed out the increase in services rendered to adult patients, and that it was suggested that a contribution of 30 cents, per registered voter in each Town, would supply the funds required to meet the cost of services provided.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That \$700.00 be raised and appropriated to be expended by the Cape Cod Mental Health Association, through the Sandwich Board of Health, for services rendered to the citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5 (40c) of the General Laws.

**Article 20.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a new equipped pumping engine for the Fire Department, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen pointed out that the underwriters do not consider Engine No. 2, because of its age and inadequate pumping ability, a piece of equipment which they can approve as adequate for fire fighting.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$46,000.00 for the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a new equipped pumping engine for the Fire Department.

**Article 21.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the employment of a police Prosecutor in conjunction with the Towns of Bourne and Falmouth, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen noted the number of cases necessary for the Police Department to prosecute in the courts, work done at present by one of the Police Officers, at a disadvantage against trained and qualified attorneys. The Sandwich Board of Selectmen and the Police Chief had met with the Selectmen and Police Chiefs of Wareham, Rochester, Mattapoisett, Marion and Carver, Towns which had entered into such an agreement, and were well informed on the activities and the outstanding satisfactory results of the program. Chief Whearty spoke in favor of the plan. Money proposed is based on \$16,000.00 annual pay to cover salary and expenses. For 1972 it would cover only nine months for a total of \$12,000.00. Distribution of cost this year based on population figures, but would be adjusted annually on the case load activities.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,680.00 for the employment of a Police Prosecutor in conjunction with the Towns of Bourne and Falmouth.

**Article 22.** To see if the Town will vote to create a Council on Aging and to adopt the following by-law in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 8B of the General Laws:

Section 1. The Board of Selectmen shall appoint a Council on Aging for the purpose of co-ordinating or carrying out programs designed to meet the problems of the aging in co-operation with programs of the Commission on Aging established under Chapter 6, Section 73 of the General Laws.

Section 2. The Board of Selectmen shall appoint the Council on Aging consisting of seven (7) members. Upon acceptance of this by-law, the Board shall appoint three (3) members for three (3) years, two (2) members for two (2) years, and two (2) members for one (1) year term. The members of the Council shall serve without pay.

Section 3. Whenever a vacancy shall occur in the membership of the Council, by reason of death, resignation, inability to act or for any other reason, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the Selectmen for the remainder of the term.

Section 4. The Council on Aging at its first annual meeting and thereafter, annually in April of each year, shall elect from its membership a President, 1st Vice-President, 2nd Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. Each officer shall hold office until the next annual election. In the event a vacancy occurs in any of the offices above, the Council shall hold a special meeting for the purpose of electing one of its members to fill such vacancy.

Section 5. The Council shall prepare and submit an annual report of its activities to the Town and shall send a copy thereof to the Commission on Aging.

Section 6. The Council may appoint such clerks and other employees as it may require.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: Article 22, as presented above.

**Article 23.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of the Council on Aging, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 for the use of the Council on Aging.

**Article 24.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$478.00 for unpaid fuel bills of 1971 as follows:

Forestdale Fire Station	\$62.81
Fire & Police Building	224.68
Town Hall	145.46
Clark Haddad Memorial Bldg.	45.05

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town raise and appropriate \$478.00 to pay unpaid fuel bills of 1971.

**Article 25.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for highway work on Town Ways in accordance with the following list, or do anything relative thereto.

Mill Road, off Old County Road	\$500.00
Chase Point Road	500.00
Snake Pond Road	2,300.00
Ploughed Neck Road	6,800.00
Plank Walk Repairs	500.00
Sidewalk Repairs	2,000.00
Chipman Road	3,700.00
Burbank Street	4,000.00
Phillips Road	2,700.00
Water Street Grading	1,000.00

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town raise and appropriate \$24,000.00 for highway work on Town Ways in accordance with the list as presented in Article 25 of the Warrant for 1972.

**Article 26.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of Turtle Cove Road, Burning Tree Lane and Wee Heather Way as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans, thereof, dated January 1972, and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town accept the layout of Turtle Cove Road, Burning Tree Lane and Wee Heather Way as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans therefor, dated January 1972, and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.



**Article 27.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of land by the Conservation Commission for conservation purposes, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Conservation Commission)

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 for the use of the Conservation Commission for the purchase of land for conservation purposes.

It was noted that an expression of thanks had not been made for the land given to the Town by the Bournes, and at this time, Mr. Hiler introduced the following Resolution:

In Town Meeting assembled this sixth day of March 1972, be it hereby RESOLVED that an expression of thanks and appreciation be extended to Donald Bourne, Meredith Bourne and Kathryn Bourne for their generous gift of Beach property to the Town for conservation purposes, and also for their interest and assistance in helping to resolve the purchase of the other parcels.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: The adoption of the foregoing Resolution.

**Article 28.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the Marina Income account for the use of operation, maintenance and repairs at the East Boat Basin Marina, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,006.03 from the Marina Income Account to a maintenance and operating account of the East Boat Basin Marina.

**Article 29.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of \$1,842.76 from the Dog Account of 1971, to the Library Appropriation Account, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,842.76 from the Dog Account of 1971 to the Library Appropriation Account.

**Article 30.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. By deleting Section 4640 in its entirety, substituting the following: "4640. Multi-family dwellings shall have a lot area of at least ten acres. Multi-family dwellings shall provide lot area as follows:



	Lot Area per Dwelling Unit	plus	Lot Area per Bedroom
R-20 District			
With Pub. Water	18,000	plus	1,000
No Pub. Water	18,000	plus	2,000

R-40 District			
With Pub. Water	36,000	plus	2,000
No Pub. Water	36,000	plus	4,000

Front and rear yards and each side yard shall equal at least 60 feet in any district. All other requirements of Section 2600 shall be complied with."

2. By the addition of the following to Article V, Definitions, at its alphabetic location:

"Bedroom: Any habitable room in a dwelling, if such room exceeds 60 sq. ft., other than a living room, dining room, kitchen, utility room or bathroom. Any dwelling unit in which no such room exists shall be construed to contain one bedroom." (Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Bryden, Chairman of the Planning Board, explained that the Article was placed in the Warrant in response to a petition presented the Planning Board by more than 200 registered voters, including one member of the Planning Board. If adopted, it would double the minimum required land area for construction of multi-family dwellings from five to ten acres. If someone wanted to build a 4-family house in Sandwich, it would first be necessary for him to acquire at least ten acres of land on an Arterial Way in order to obtain a building permit. This would represent the low density use of the land. Now, as to the maximum density use of this parcel comprising ten acres or more — it is fair to state that, under the proposed amendment, the same amount of space would be required for each apartment in a multi-family dwelling as for one ordinary single-family dwelling. This, incidentally, was the avowed purpose for the petition presented to the Board. It will readily be seen that there would be little incentive for a builder to construct multi-family dwellings because the usual economy of land use would not be possible.

Mr. Bryden presented a study of Windswept showing what might happen under the present bylaw and what would result if the proposed bylaw were passed. He pointed out that it is difficult to estimate how many school-age children would be living in a multi-

family complex, but it is generally agreed that this type of housing appeals largely to retired couples, childless couples and single men or women.

Mr. Bryden pointed out, again comparing the Windswept area under the present and proposed bylaws, that in the development under present bylaws an estimated total land coverage is 191,000 square feet (about  $4\frac{1}{3}$  acres) or 23% of the area. This leaves 77% not built upon by houses or blacktop, but there is no common green area in which children can play or through which adults can stroll. Several sections of the town-accepted road are now used for various outdoor activities by children. Under the proposed bylaw, 194,000 square feet or 24% of the total land area could be covered. The remaining 76% would be left for the common use of all residents. There would be more than 14 acres of undeveloped land offering many and varied types of recreational opportunities. There would be a private drive of an estimated 500 ft. of private driveway from Route 130 instead of the town-accepted road.

If you vote "Yes" on Article 30 in its present form you may very likely discourage construction of multi-family dwellings altogether, slowing down the influx of retired couples and single persons who are either unable or unwilling to assume the many responsibilities of the care and maintenance of individual dwellings. Ultimately a situation might be created where more and more acreage becomes subdivided into  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre and acre size lots with little or no open space for the common use of the residents except in true conservation areas. There is a limit to the amount of land the citizens of Sandwich can purchase for conservation and open space. Is it wise to virtually eliminate a type of land use which automatically insures 75% available open space by the very nature of the restrictions already built into Section 4640 of the Sandwich Protective Zoning By-Law?"

The Planning Board, by a majority of four to one, recommended a negative vote on Article 30.

Mr. Cross, of the Planning Board, then spoke in favor of the Article, feeling that it was not unfair to require a family apartment unit to have 20,000 feet of land area if we require a single family house to have 20,000 square feet; he felt that 8 families per acre was too great a density. He quoted from a Wareham builder who felt there were economies in building two-story, two-bedroom apart-

ments and felt that it "doesn't make sense to make the cost of land cheap by requiring only 5,000 sq. ft. of land for each apartment."

Mr. Coe, of the Planning Board, noted that the bylaw as proposed virtually did away with any apartments, and he pointed out that there was a definite need for this type of housing.

Mr. Sweeney of Lakewood Hills, a former resident of Wareham, speaking against the article, felt that the trouble in Wareham, as suggested by Mr. Cross, was not with apartments, but rather with small lot one-family dwellings.

Mr. Wright spoke in favor, pointing out that 1,627 multi-family units had been endorsed in Mashpee.

Mr. Francis Heddy was a speaker in favor of the article.

Mr. Richards felt that the bylaw as proposed bans apartments and they are needed in Sandwich, both for the young and for the older people. He was against the article.

Mrs. Southwood spoke in favor. Mr. Bridges spoke in favor.

Mr. Jillson pointed out that in the two years that our present article has been in effect, we have as yet only one section with multi-family homes. He spoke against the article.

The Moderator stated that a yes vote did not ban apartments.

**VOTED:** By a vote of raised hands, the vote was recorded as 100 in favor of the article as presented, and 36 against, and the Article as printed in the Warrant (Article 30) was declared passed by the two-thirds necessary.

**Article 31.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. Retitle Section 4200 as "4200. Earth Moving Regulations."
2. Amend Section 4210 by deleting it and replacing it with the following:

**"4210 General**

Removal or filling of topsoil, borrow, rock, sod, loam, peat, humus, clay, sand, or gravel shall be done only in accordance with Sections 4220 through 4250, except that the following need not obtain a Special Permit:

**4211.** Within any 12-month period, the removal of less than 50 cubic yards or the placing of less than 200 cubic yards of such material.



4212. Removal or filling incidental to construction on the premises, where such removal or filling is explicitly allowed under a currently valid building permit or under agreements governing road construction in an approved subdivision or on a public way.

4213. Removal or filling at an active cranberry bog incidental at the operation thereof.

3. Renumber Section 4230 as 4240 and Section 4240 as 4250; and insert a new Section 4230 to read as follows:

**"4230 Filling**

Building permits or Special Permits allowing filling shall be granted only upon demonstration of the following:

4231. That the requirements of Section 4300 (Lowland and Dune Requirements) are to be complied with.

4232. That the requirements of Section 4240 (Restoration) will be complied with within six months of expiration of the building permit or issuance of a Certificate of Zoning Compliance under Section 1230, or within one year of issuance of a Special Permit for filling.

4233. That reasonable care will be taken to avoid harmful diversion of water onto adjoining properties.

The Building Inspector may require a bond to secure compliance in cases involving both two acres or more and 10,000 cubic yards or more of fill."

(Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Cross, for the Planning Board, stated that this amendment is designed to provide restoration to filled areas similar to existing provisions for sand and gravel excavation sites, and the Planning Board recommends the Article.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: Article 31 as set forth above in the Warrant of 1972.

**Article 32.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw, Section 2210, Use Regulations, by inserting after the word "structure" the following "or additions to structures."

(Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Coe, for the Planning Board, explained this was merely for correction and clarification.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: To amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law, Section 2210, Use Regulations, by inserting after the word "structure" the following "or additions to structures."



**Article 33.** To elect by ballot the following officers:

One Selectman for a term of three years.

One Assessor for a term of three years.

One Moderator for an unexpired term of one year.

One Constable for a term of three years.

Two Members of the School Committee for a term of three years.

One Member of the Board of Health for a term of three years.

Three Trustees of the Sandwich Public Library for a term of three years.

One Trustee of the Weston Memorial Fund for a term of three years.

One Trustee of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building for a term of three years.

One Member of the Planning Board for a term of one year.

One Member of the Planning Board for a term of two years.

One Member of the Planning Board for a term of five years.

One Member of the Sandwich Housing Authority for a term of five years.

And all other candidates that may appear on the official ballot, and to vote yes or no on the following questions:

Question #1 Shall licenses be granted in this town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called beano?

Question #2 Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred seventy-one, entitled "An act providing life tenure for the chief and certain full-time members of the fire department of the Town of Sandwich, be accepted?

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: To adjourn to meet for election on Thursday, March the ninth, at eight o'clock in the morning, at the Henry T. Wing School.

The meeting adjourned at 12:25 A.M.

Thursday, March 9, 1972, Henry T. Wing School

## VOTED:

## SELECTMAN, Three Years

Carlo A. Pola	757
William W. Ward	659
Arthur Souza	173
A. J. MacQuade	1
B. Lehner	1
Blanks	20
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	1,611

## ASSESSOR, Three Years

Carlo A. Pola	743
William W. Ward	657
Arthur Souza	176
A. J. MacQuade	1
B. Lehner	1
Blanks	33
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	1,611

## MODERATOR, Unexpired Term One Year

W. Gordon Bryden, Jr.	379
William A. Bullock	958
James N. Foley	215
Blanks	59
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	1,611

## CONSTABLE, Three Years

Clyde S. Gill	1,471
Joe Vaudo	1
E. Rooney	1
S. Cross	1
R. Cahoon	1
R. Whearty	1
W. McBride	1
A. Clemmy	1
J. Swift	1
C. Maley	1
Blanks	131
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	1,611

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE, Three Years

Willard E. Boyden	474
Paul J. O'Connell	449
Mabel G. Cahoon	141
W. R. Hendy, Jr.	592
Roberta Leydon	669
Stanley A. Torrey	600
J. Cervantes	1
Blanks	296
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	3,222

## LIBRARY TRUSTEES, Three Years

Beryl A. O'Connell	900
William A. Warren	1,119
Burton J. Jones	832
Natalie E. Norris	829
William McBride	1
Roy Cahoon	1
E. Sullivan	1
D. Earle	1
W. Earle	1
E. Palma, Jr.	1
T. Toohey	1
Richard Poisson	1
C. Maley	1
R. Kreykenbohm	1
Blanks	1,053
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	4,833

## TRUSTEE OF CARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING

(Three Years)

Charles Wennerstrom	1,414
R. Whearty	8
Cahoon	4
G. Wallace	1
C. Maley	2
Blanks	182
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	1,611

## MEMBER OF THE PLANNING BOARD (Five Years)

William G. Bryden	765
David F. Wright	758
J. Vaudo	1
J. Greenwood	1
C. Maley	1
Blanks	85

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 1,611

## BOARD OF HEALTH, Three Years

Stanley H. Lehner	727
Allen E. Peterson	786
C. Maley	1
J. Vaudo	1
B. Southworth	1
G. Wentworth	1
Blanks	94

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 1,611

## WESTON MEMORIAL FUND TRUSTEE, Three Years

John H. Field	1,341
Atwood	1
Malcolm Tabor	1
B. Sullivan	1
S. Cross	1
M. Mooney	1
C. Maley	1
D. Atwood	1
Blanks	262

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 1,611

## MEMBER OF THE PLANNING BOARD (One Year)

Robert W. Bridges	704
Edward W. Osgood, Jr.	797
H. Hamblin	1
J. Vaudo	1
Blanks	108

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 1,611



## MEMBER OF THE PLANNING BOARD (Two Years)

Anne Southwood	712
Miriam R. Wilharm	812
G. Wallace	1
C. Maley	1
D. Wright	1
Blanks	84
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	1,611

## MEMBER SANDWICH HOUSING AUTHORITY (Five Years)

John W. Ross	593
Norman E. Welch	775
J. Rooney	1
G. Wallace	1
C. Cahoon	1
P. LeBlanc	1
W. Johnson	1
Blanks	238
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	1,611

**Question #1.** Shall licenses be granted in this town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called beano?

Yes	873
No	615
Blanks	123
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	1,611

**Question #2.** Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and seventy-one, entitled "An act providing life tenure for the chief and certain full-time members of the fire department of the Town of Sandwich," be accepted?

Yes	671
No	773
Blanks	167
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	1,611

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk  
Town of Sandwich

**RECOUNT OF VOTES CAST FOR THE OFFICES OF  
PLANNING BOARD AND SCHOOL COMMITTEE  
AT THE ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION OF MARCH 9, 1972**

Pursuant to duly filed Recount Petitions, the Board of Registrars met at the Town Hall at 9:00 A.M. on March 23, 1972 and proceeded to recount the votes cast for Planning Board and School Committee, on March 9, 1972.

Those Present Were:

**Board of Registrars**

Nillo R. Ahonen  
Ida D. O'Brien  
Edward F. Montague, Jr.  
Channing E. Hoxie

**Representing Mr. Wright**

Russell A. Lovell, Jr.  
David Wright

**Representing Mr. Bryden**

Augustus F. Wagner, Jr., Atty.  
William G. Bryden  
W. Gordon Bryden  
Willard Bryden

**Representing Mr. Hendy**

Julia C. Hendy  
Carolyn M. Regan  
Dorothy Morrissey

The Result of the Recount was as follows:

**Planning Board Five Year Term**

William G. Bryden had Seven Hundred and Sixty Two Votes	762
David F. Wright had Seven Hundred and Sixty Votes	760
J. Vaudo had One Vote	1
J. Greenwood had One Vote	1
C. Maley had One Vote	1
Blanks	86

Total Votes Cast

1,611

**School Committee For Three Years**

Willard E. Boyden had Four Hundred Seventy One Votes	471
Paul J. O'Connell had Four Hundred Fifty One Votes	451
Mabel-Grace D. Cahoon had One Hundred Forty One Votes	141
William R. Hendy, Jr. had Five Hundred Ninety Four Votes	594
Roberta F. Leydon had Six Hundred Sixty Eight Votes	668
Stanley A. Torrey had Five Hundred Ninety Eight Votes	598
J. Cervantes had One Vote	1
Blanks	298

Total Votes Cast

3,222

The Recount was completed at 4:30 P.M.

A True Record

Attest:

CHANNING E. HOXIE

Town Clerk, Town of Sandwich

## 1972 PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

April 25, 1972

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the polls opened at 10:00 o'clock A.M. The ballot box was checked and the counter set at zero. The ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and the following Election Officers were administered an oath to faithful performance of their duties:

Ballot Clerks	Checkers	Ballot Box
Hilda E. Whitmore	Elizabeth S. Frail	Frederick A. Morey
Margaret M. Carlson	Mabel M. L. George	
Counters	Warden	Deputy Warden
James E. VanBuskirk	B. Harlow Morrow	Lester E. Geary
Carol E. Morrow		
Walter R. Alvezi		
Greta Widdell		
Jane E. Ellis		
Louise A. Velsor		
Barbara A. Mahoney		
Stanley A. Torrey		

## REPUBLICAN 201 Votes Cast

## Presidential Preference

John M. Ashbrook	2
Paul N. McCloskey, Jr.	22
Richard M. Nixon	166
George C. Wallace	1
George McGovern	1
Blanks	9
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Total	201

## 10 Delegates at Large to Nat'l Conv.

Francis W. Sargent	171	Elliot L. Richardson	173
Elizabeth E. Amesbury	158	Leverett Saltonstall	176
Lloyd B. Waring	160	John A. Volpe	169
Margaret M. Donohue	152	Jaye A. Whittier	156
Ann C. Gannett	155	Blanks	390
Robert C. Hahn	150		<hr/>
		Total	2010

## 10 Alternate Delegates at Large to Nat'l Conv.

William F. Arrigal, Jr.	145	Josephine C. Marcotte	144
Muriel Erna Ballentine	148	F. Bradford Morse	154
Ann R. Blackham	149	Martha Reardon	149
Ronald Burton	150	Emily R. Terlizzi	144
Hastings Keith	173	Blanks	507
Paula E. Logan	147		
		Total	2010

## 2 12th Dist. Delegates to Nat'l Conv.

Esther C. Tsiknas	161	Joseph D. Saulnier	
Thomas L. P. O'Donnell	140	(Not Grouped)	12
		Blanks	89
		Total	402

## 2 12th Dist.

## Alternate Delegates to Conv.

George C. Decas	146	1 State Committee (Man)	
Rosalind Poll Brooker	139	Frederick W. Underhill	65
Blanks	117	Raymond R. Robert	104
		Blanks	32
Total	402	Total	201

## 1 State Comm. (Woman)

Esther C. Tsiknas	123
Diane Dugan Bronsdon	52
Blanks	26

Total	201
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## 35 Town Committee

Gustav R. Breitzke	146	Reynaldo Salinas	143
Florence L. Canning	163	Mary J. Schindler	147
Mary S. Carroll	146	Milton E. Stone	145
William N. Chase	148	Ann C. Sullivan	161
Bernard C. DiPietro	152	Herbert E. Thompson	146
William J. Green	149	James E. VanBuskirk	161
John S. Jillson	170	William W. Ward	150
William N. Lamb	145	Charles Wennerstrom	159
Imogene E. Lyon	149	J. Russell Wisner	150
Merilyn Myers	144	Paul C. Ewer	155
Esther W. Rickheit	143	Charles Fears III	152
John L. Roberti	155	Adrienne P. Huff	156



Albert R. Morse	150	Mabel Grace D. Cahoon	147
Claire C. Magnant	148	Joseph F. Bazzinotti	160
Harvey A. Magnant	144	George Campbell	13
Roger K. Freeman	151	Beulah Southworth	1
Greta Widdell	147	George C. Taylor	1
Robert W. Bridges	156	Haskell Hawkins	1
Emily E. Anderson	149	Blanks	1880
Janet M. Dunbar	153		
		Total	7035

## DEMOCRATIC — 246 Votes Cast

## Presidential Preference

Shirley Chisholm	22
Edward T. Coll	0
Vance Hartke	0
Hubert H. Humphrey	15
Henry M. Jackson	3
John V. Lindsay	0
Eugene McCarthy	2
George McGovern	123
Wilbur D. Mills	6
Edmund S. Muskie	40
George C. Wallace	25
Sam Yorty	0
Edward Kennedy	5
Blanks	5
Total	246

## 20 Delegates at Large to Nat'l Convention

## Group 1

Robert F. Drinan	125	Charles F. McDevitt	126
Mary I. Bunting	123	Mary A. Markel	120
Jack H. Backman	120	Jesse Parks	122
Ellen M. Jackson	121	Doris M. Kanin	123
J. Kenneth Galbraith	123	Salvador E. Luria	120
Roberta F. Benjamin	122	Margaret V. Eagan	122
John L. Saltonstall, Jr.	128	F. Christopher Arterton	121
Ruth M. Batson	122	Patricia A. Simon	121
Alvin Levin	121	Elizabeth A. Chase	122
Mary E. Williamson	121	Antonia H. Chayes	121

Group 2		Samuel H. Beer	34
Kevin H. White	41	Betty Taymor	34
Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr.	38	Ann L. Dunphy	35
Robert H. Quinn	36	Melvin B. Miller	36
Doris Kearns	35	K. Dun Gifford	34
Lena Saunders	38	Nicholas Mavroules	33
Robert Q. Crane	34	Irene Lambert	33
David M. Bartley	35	Anna P. Buckley	34
Kevin B. Harrington	35	Delegates Not Grouped	
Mary L. Fonseca	37	George G. Burke	6
Geraldine Pleshaw	34	Endicott Peabody	7
Salvatore Camelio	35	Blanks	1758
Ronald Glover	34		
		Total	4920

## 12 Alternate Delegates at Large to Nat'l Conv.

## Group 1

Alexander Rodriguez	122	Stephen J. Morgan	122
Kenneth J. Moynihan	125	Moneal M. Yerby	121
Karl H. Haag	125	Francis E. Moore	125
Constance Kanitar	124	Sandra L. Ahlburn	125
Carl K. King	122	Kathleen K. Houton	123
Anne P. Priest	123	Michael J. Brower	123

## Group 2

John F. X. Davoren	36	James E. Smith	31
Archibald Cox	32	Susan Haar	33
Elizabeth Parnes	33	Peter Edelman	34
Frank J. Manning	35	James F. Mulloney	34
Alfred Olerio	35	Margaret M. Breen	34
Barbara J. Garvey	35	Blanks	1066
Jack E. Robinson	34		
		Total	2952

## 6 12th District Delegates to Nat'l Convention

## Group 1

Brian J. Lawler	16
Margaret A. Patts	10
James R. Petcoff	11
Nancy H. Buell	10
William J. DeTellis	9
Sandra Habib	12

## Group 2

George Rogers	93
Guy Volterra	89
Arthur P. Hurley	97
Carolyn J. Stouffer	97
Sharon R. Leonard	98
Donna Marie E. White	99

Group 3		Not Grouped	
Ronald Anthony Pina	29	John B. O'Toole	9
Allan R. McKinnon	28	Blanks	649
John M. Xifaras	30		
Eduvine M. Ferreira	30	Total	1476
Jeanmary R. Smith	27		
Dorothy S. O'Donnell	33		

1 State Committee (Man)		David Kaplowitz	11
James H. Smith	37	Francis W. Keating	79
Harvey G. Clauson, Jr.	27	Blanks	92
		Total	246

## 4 Alternate Delegates to Nat'l Convention

Group 1		Group 3	
Teresa E. Allen	13	Harry R. Dunham	29
Juanita Haynes	12	Mary A. Fernandez	30
Ronald F. Ferreira	12	John D. O'Brien	29
Stephen H. Wilmarth	9	Ann P. Neiland	28

Group 2		Not Grouped	
Richard Baarsvik	96	Richard T. Saunders	5
Barbara Burnham	94	Blanks	444
Edith A. Nichols	93		
Richard H. Miller	90	Total	984

1 State Committee (Woman)		Mary Anne	
Dorothy S. O'Donnell	70	Grafton Rogers	83
		Blanks	93
		Total	246

## 30 Town Committee

James H. Dalton	150	John J. Pina	137
Andrew J. Clemmey	133	Marie Pina	137
Anne F. Dalton	143	David F. Wright	139
Elsie H. Dalton	143	Marita D. Wright	135
William R. Hendy, Jr.	159	Katherine M. Jones	141
Linda J. McArdle	137	Willard E. Boyden	136
Arthur J. McArdle	136	Ida D. O'Brien	146
Caesar A. Alvezi	155	Arthur A. Bazzinotti	143
George Fernandez	151	Charles E. Maley	139
Sabina Fernandez	142	Patricia A. Whitney	131





## 1972 STATE PRIMARY

September 19, 1972

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the polls opened at 10:00 o'clock a.m. The Ballot Box was checked and the counter set at zero. The ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and the following Election Officers were administered an oath to faithful performance of their duties.

Ballot Clerks	Checkers	Ballot Box
Hilda E. Whitmore	Helen I. Palmer	Frederick A. Morey
Mabel M. L. George	Margaret M. Carlson	

Warden—B. Harlow Morrow    Deputy Warden—Lester E. Geary

## Counters

James E. VanBuskirk	Greta Widdell
Walter R. Alvezi	Carol E. Morrow
Eleanor O. Bangs	Louise A. Velsor
Elizabeth B. McMahon	Barbara A. Mahoney

## REPUBLICAN 196 Votes Cast

Senator In Congress		Representative in	
Edward W. Brooke	176	General Court	
Blanks	20	Margaret Pola	1
	—	James Swift	1
Total	196	Blanks	194
			—
Congressman, 12th District		Total	196
William D. Weeks	188	Register of Probate	
Blanks	8	and Insolvency	
	—	Frederic P. Claussen	174
Total	196	Blanks	22
			—
Councillor, 1st District		Total	196
John Medeiros	20	County Commissioners	
Anne Sullivan	1	H. Heyworth Backus	170
Blanks	175	Roger L. Savery	145
	—	Blanks	77
Total	196		—
Senator		Total	392
John F. Aylmer	184		
Blanks	12		
	—		
Total	196		

County Treasurer	
Kent T. Besse	86
Floyd J. Silvia	104
Blanks	6
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Total	196

DEMOCRATIC 88 Votes Cast

Senator In Congress		Representative in Gen. Court	
John J. Droney	45	Richard E. Kendall	79
John Pierce Lynch	10	Blanks	9
Gerald F. O'Leary	25		
Blanks	8	Total	88
Total	88		
Congressman		Register of Probate and Insolvency	
Gerry E. Studds	77	Carl Hiler	1
William Weeks	2	Blanks	87
Blanks	9		
Total	88	Total	88
Councillor		County Commissioners	
Nicholas W. Mitchell	39	Joseph A. Coppenrath	14
John A. Langlois	27	Elsie Dalton	2
Blanks	22	Channing Hoxie	1
Total	88	Jean Cervantes	1
Senator		George Fernandez	1
Edward Kennedy	1	Blanks	157
Robert Whearty	1	Total	176
John Aylmer	1	County Treasurer	
George Fernandez	1	Walter Fagnant	1
Blanks	84	George Fernandez	1
Total	88	Blanks	86
		Total	88

The Polls were closed at 8:00 o'clock p.m.

The total vote cast was 284      196 Republicans

88 Democrats

The Voting Lists of Checkers and Ballot Clerks were checked and found in order and the ballot box counter agreed with these lists.

There were two Absentee Ballots cast.

I certify that this is a true record of the 1972 State Primary held in Sandwich on September 19, 1972.

CHANNING E. HOXIE,

Town Clerk of Sandwich

The total number of registered voters at the close of registration prior to election was 2587.

784	Republicans
482	Democrats
1321	Independents

# Report of Special Town Meeting

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## TOWN OF SANDWICH

September 25, 1972

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator William A. Bullock, in the Henry T. Wing School Auditorium.

It was voted to dispense with the reading of the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1. To hear the report of the Police Station Building Committee and act thereon.

The Moderator then called on Mr. William G. Bryden, Chairman of the Police Station Building Committee for a report which Mr. Bryden presented as follows:

### REPORT

As Chairman, it is my privilege to present the second report of your Police Station Building Committee. Since our last report was submitted, Member W. Walter Smith moved away from the area and Stanley H. Lerner was named by the Moderator to fill the vacancy. Since the November, 1971 Special Town Meeting at which you voted to locate the building on Route 6A, adjacent to the fire station, the Committee has been involved with Architect Oliver L. Barker of Duxbury in an effort to obtain the best possible building for this location. It is fortunate that only relatively minor changes were required to adapt the original building plans to the designated site, the most important consideration being the development of adequate foundation plans to insure that the possibility of settling would be minimized and that the basement would be dry. To this end, the Architect secured the services of Golder Gass Associates, Consulting Geotechnical Engineers, and their recommendations and specifications will be adhered to in every respect under the supervision of the Architect and with daily inspections by William C. Taylor, our Town Engineer.

It should be noted that the main body of the building is to be located on the old upland section so that only the concrete



slab for the garage is on the recently filled land. The proposed structure is to be essentially a one-story wood frame brick veneer building with an expansion attic. The concrete basement extends under all the main body of the building except the rear section which is occupied by the heavy steel cells of the prisoner detention block. The roofing will be asphalt shingles over plywood and wood rafters. The heating system will be oil fired hot water with three zones and a provision for a fourth heating zone to supply the unfinished second floor in the future. All of the detention areas and wash rooms will have mechanical ventilation. The electrical system will include a 20 KW standby generator with a diesel engine and an automatic transfer switch in case of power failure. This equipment is designed to operate all electrical outlets and the motors for heating and ventilating as well as the radio and intercom systems.

The administration area will consist of a duty room with a public lobby, Chief's Office, Sergeant's and Report Office, Conference Room and Officers' Locker Room. The detention area, in compliance with State requirements, will have four male cells and two juvenile or female cells separated by a matron's room. The attached garage will have three bays with power operated overhead doors.

There are only minor differences between the building plans originated by Mr. Barker in 1969 and revised by him in 1972. It had been feared that there would be a tremendous cost differential between the low contract bid in 1969 and that which we would receive in 1972. The state prescribed wage scale for construction workers on a public building averages 45.51 percent higher in 1972 than it was in 1969. Thus, we might have anticipated that the \$190,000 bid of three years ago would be increased to \$275,000 today. We were pleasantly surprised to receive a low bid of \$237,000 on September 8, 1972 — an increase of less than 25% over the 1969 bid for substantially the same building.

If anyone here tonight seriously doubts the need for a Police Station, Chief Whearty can explain what has happened in Sandwich over the past few years and it is not difficult to project our needs over the next five or ten years. In behalf of the original Building Committee, headed by Gerald MacDonald, and the present Committee which has also devoted uncounted hours to this project, your favorable consideration of Article 2 is earnestly solicited.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the report of the Police Station Building Committee be accepted with a vote of thanks.

**ARTICLE 2.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the construction, original equipping and furnishing of a Police Station on Town owned land on Route 6A and to appropriate a sum of money for the purposes herein set forth, and to determine how any such appropriation shall be raised, whether from available funds or from borrowing, and if by borrowing, to authorize the issuance of notes or bonds of the Town at one time or from time to time, under any enabling authority, or to pass any other vote or take any other action necessary or advisable for said purpose.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town authorize the construction, original equipping and furnishing of a Police Station on Town owned land on Route 6A to be generally in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Oliver L. Barker, Architect, that the sum of \$264,000 be appropriated for said purpose and to meet said appropriation, \$12,000.00 be transferred from the purchase of land at Sandy Neck and \$152,000.00 be transferred from Surplus Revenue and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow at one time the amount of \$100,000.00 under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws. The Police Station Building Committee is hereby authorized to supervise and provide for the work authorized, together with all matters and details incidental thereto, including making a contract or contracts therefor in the name of the Town and that funds hereinbefore appropriated will be expended under the supervision of said Committee.

**ARTICLE 3.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-law by amending it as follows:

Step 1. Amend Section 2600, Intensity of Use Schedule, by deleting "GU" from the "R-20, S, GU" column heading and by adding "GU" to the "R-40, RD" column heading.

Step 2. Amend the first sentence of Section 4430 by deleting the phrase "each lot in the Ridge or R-40 Dis-

trict" substituting therefor the phrase "Each lot in the Ridge, R-40 or General Use District," such that the entire Section reads as follows:

"4430. The intensity of use requirements of Section 2600 for the R-20 District shall be conformed to for each lot in the Ridge, R-40 or General Use District. Lots in all other districts shall conform to the requirements of Section 2600 for the R-20 District, except that lot area may be reduced to 15,000 square feet, and lot frontage may be reduced to 100 feet," or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

The Moderator recognized Mrs. Wilharm, of the Planning Board, who explained that the purpose of the Article is to increase the minimum lot size in the General Use District from 20,000 square feet to 40,000 square feet. At present, all of the General Use District requires 20,000 square feet.

By a hand vote, 401 yes, 42 no, it was VOTED:

That the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw be amended as follows:

Step 1. Amend Section 2600, Intensity of Use Schedule, by deleting "GU" from the "R-20, S, GU" column heading and by adding "GU" to the "R-40, RD" column heading.

Step 2. Amend the first sentence of Section 4430 by deleting the phrase "each lot in the Ridge or R-40 District" substituting therefor the phrase "Each lot in the Ridge, R-40 or General Use District," such that the entire Section reads as follows:

"4430. The intensity of use requirements of Section 2600 for the R-20 District shall be conformed to for each lot in the Ridge, R-40 or General Use District. Lots in all other districts shall conform to the requirements of Section 2600 for the R-20 District except that the lot area may be reduced to 15,000 square feet, and lot frontage may be reduced to 100 feet."

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from available funds in the Treasury for interest on temporary loans required to be borrowed in anticipation of taxes of 1972 or do anything relative thereto.



**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the town transfer \$3,878.00 from Surplus Revenue and appropriate the funds to interest on temporary loans of 1972.

**ARTICLE 5.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from available funds in the Treasury for Veterans' Services, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town transfer \$6,000.00 from Surplus Revenue and appropriate the funds to the Veterans' Services Account.

**ARTICLE 6.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from available funds in the Treasury to the Fire Department for repairs and service of a 65-foot aerial ladder truck received from the Boston Fire Department, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Board of Fire Engineers)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town transfer \$11,400.00 from surplus revenue and appropriate the funds to the Fire Department for repair and service of a 65-foot ladder truck received from the Boston Fire Department.

**ARTICLE 7.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by amending Section 4640 as follows:

Step 1. Amend the row heading "R-20 District" so that it reads "R-20, Shore District."

Step 2. Amend the row heading "R-40 District" so that it reads "R-40, General Use District."

Step 3. Insert the following immediately below the requirements for the R-40 and General Use District:

	(Lot Area per Dwelling Unit)	plus	(Lot Area per Bedroom)
Business Limited District			
With Public Water	13,000		1,000
Without Public Water	13,000		2,000

Step 4. Insert "(sq. ft.)" immediately below the column heading "Lot Area per Dwelling Unit" and the column heading "Lot Area per Bedroom." or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

The Moderator recognized Dr. Cross of the Planning Board, who explained that the purpose of the article is to affirm for all zoning districts the restrictions placed on multi-family dwellings at



the Annual Town Meeting last March. This Article requires that each unit of a multi-family structure will require the same amount of land area as a single family dwelling.

**VOTED:** By a hand vote, the Moderator declared this article carried; 376 yes, 1 no.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw, Section 2300, Use Regulation Schedule, by revising the rows under "Farm" to read as follows:

"Farm	R-20						
	R-40 BL IND MAR GU RD S						
With pigs, mink, foxes, more							
than 100 cattle or							
1000 poultry <sup>1,2</sup>	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
Others <sup>2</sup>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

<sup>1</sup>Only if on premises of 40 acres or more; otherwise "N."  
Structures containing such animals not to be located within 100 feet of a lot line or within 200 feet of a dwelling not on the same lot.

<sup>2</sup>Not more than two cattle per acre or their equivalent in terms of waste products shall be allowed unless special waste handling procedures satisfactory to the Board of Health are provided," or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

Dr. Cross, for the Planning Board, explained that thinking that the people of Sandwich would prefer a 40-acre farm to a 40-acre subdivision, the Planning Board in this article proposes that a farm that would be acceptable in the Ridge District under our present zoning be allowed in the R-40 District. As a safeguard farm buildings would be set back 100' from property lines or 200' from any home on adjacent property.

By voice vote, the Moderator declared this Article carried unanimously.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by amending Section 4470 so that number "60" in the last sentence is changed to "40" or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

The Moderator recognized Mr. Osgood, for the Planning Board, who explained that this had been requested by the Board of Appeals. As it presently is, the Planning Board has 60 days in which to make a recommendation to the Board of Appeals, and

the Board of Appeals has sixty days in which to give a decision. By changing to 40 days the time allowance for the Planning Board, the Board of Appeals will have 20 days in which to take into consideration the recommendation of the Planning Board.

**VOTED:** By voice vote, the Moderator declared this article carried unanimously.

**ARTICLE 10.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting the phrase "Lots with less than 100 feet frontage," substituting therefore the phrase "Lots with 100 feet frontage or less," or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Bryden, for the Planning Board, explained that as presently worded, this Bylaw appears to be discriminatory and favors the man who owns a 90 foot lot as opposed to his neighbor who owns a 100 foot lot.

**VOTED:** That the Town amend Section 2550 under the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting the phrase "Lots with less than 100 feet frontage," substituting therefor the phrase "Lots with 100 feet frontage or less."

By a hand vote, the Moderator declared this Article carried 263 yes, 53 no.

**ARTICLE 11.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by amending Section 3530 by inserting the word "reasonably" before "sufficient" and "initially" before "prevent" so that the section reads as follows:

3530. All banks exceeding 15 degrees in slope resulting from site grading shall either be retained with a non-bituminous retaining wall, or covered with loam to a depth of 4 inches and planted with vegetative cover reasonably sufficient to initially prevent erosion." or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Bryden, of the Planning Board, pointed out that there was some doubt in the minds of the members of the Planning Board and their Consultant, as to whether Section 3530 would stand up in a court of law because of the words "sufficient to prevent erosion." In the event of a storm, such as that of Labor Day, some erosion would be inevitable. The purpose of the editorial change is to modify Section 3530 so that no one can prove it to be unworkable. The effect is unchanged.

**VOTED:** By a hand vote, the vote was 67 for, 180 against and the Moderator declared the article **not carried**.

**ARTICLE 12.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from available funds in the Treasury for Highway work on a section of Kiah's Way and a section of Mill Road, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town transfer \$12,500.00 from Surplus Revenue and appropriate \$500.00 for work on a section of Kiah's Way and \$12,000.00 for work on a section of Mill Road.

**ARTICLE 13.** To see if the Town will vote to approve an amendment to the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School District Agreement, entered into between the member towns at the time of the formation of the Regional School District providing that the members of the Regional District School Committee from the Town of Wareham shall be elected for staggered terms commencing in 1974. (Request of the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School District Committee)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the following sentence be added at the end of subsection I(c) of the agreement entered into between the member Towns at the time of the formation of the Regional School District:

Elected members: Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this sub-section, at the annual town election of 1974 the Town of Wareham in electing successors to the two members from the Town whose terms expire in 1974, shall elect one member for a term of two years and one member for a term of three years.

**ARTICLE 14.** To see if the Town will vote to sell a parcel of Town owned land of about 6700 sq. ft. located on Plank Walk Road which lies outside of the 60 foot 1950 road layout to Robert F. McGrath, et ux, abutting property owners for \$300.00 or do anything relative thereto.

**VOTED:** That the Town authorize the Selectmen to sell to Robert F. McGrath, et ux, a parcel of Town owned land of about 6700 square feet which lies outside of the 60-foot 1950 layout of Plank Walk Road for the sum of \$300.00, and that the money be set up in an account for future purchase of land by the Town.

By a hand vote, 286, 27 no, the Moderator declared the article carried.



ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will transfer and appropriate a sum of money from available funds in the Treasury for the improvement of a section of the parking area at Town Neck Beach at the location of the retaining wall, or do anything relative thereto.

It was moved and seconded that the Town transfer \$2,000.00 from the Surplus Revenue and appropriate the funds for the improvement of a section of the parking area at Town Neck Beach at the location of the retaining wall.

After discussion, by voice vote, the Moderator declared the motion **Not Carried.**

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of Samoset Road, Thumpertown Lane and Shady Oak Lane as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated August 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to transfer and appropriate from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for said purpose or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept the layout of Samoset Road, Thumpertown Lane and Shady Oak Lane as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated August 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to transfer from Surplus Revenue and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to sell a parcel of Town owned land located on School Street 20 feet in width and about 133 feet in length, being a portion of the School Lot to the abutting owner, William G. Green, for the sum of \$1,000.00 or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town authorize the Selectmen to sell to William B. Green a parcel of Town owned land on School Street, 20 feet in width and about 133 feet in length for the sum of \$1,000.00 and that the money be set up in an account for future purchase of land by the Town.



ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from available funds in the Treasury for a soil survey to be made by the Barnstable County Conservation District for the Town of Sandwich, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Ronald Thompson, Soil Conservationist for Barnstable County, gave the advantage of such a survey, and the uses to which a survey could be put, the savings which might be expected to result.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town transfer \$7,814.00 from Surplus Revenue and appropriate the funds for a Soil Survey of the Town to be made by the Barnstable County Conservation District.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the Unregistered Vehicle Bylaw from the Town Protective Zoning Bylaw to a Town of Sandwich Unregistered Vehicle Bylaw, as follows:

1) "UNREGISTERED VEHICLES BYLAW. No person permit more than one unregistered motor vehicle or trailer or major parts thereof, except for farm vehicles, to remain ungaraged on his premises at any time unless under a Class 1 or Class 2 license for sale of motor vehicles (Section 57-69, Chapter 140, General Laws), or unless given written authorization by the Selectmen following an investigation and report thereon by the Board of Health. Authorization shall be granted only if no hazard to health or safety is involved, and no unsightly conditions visible from adjacent property or public ways are created.

This Bylaw shall be administered by the Chief of Police. Any persons violating any of the provisions of this bylaw shall be fined not more than \$50.00 for each offense." or do anything relative thereto.

2) Amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting in its entirety Section 4130, Unregistered Vehicles, such deletion to become effective only upon the effective date of the above Town Bylaw.

The above article was moved and seconded as read by the Moderator.

An Amendment to Part 1 was then presented by Chief Whearty. The following to be added to the end of the first para-

graph: "In no event shall an unregistered motor vehicle or trailer or parts thereof be stored within a required front yard."

The Amendment was voted by voice and declared unanimous by the Moderator.

It was then **VOTED:** 1) That no person shall permit more than one unregistered vehicle or trailer or major part thereof, except for farm vehicles, to remain ungaraged on his premises at any time unless under a Class 1 or Class 2 license for sale of motor vehicles (Section 57-69, Chapter 140, General Laws), or unless given written authorization by the Selectmen following an investigation and report thereon by the Board of Health. Authorization shall be granted only if no hazard to health or safety is involved, and no unsightly conditions visible from adjacent property or public ways are created. In no event shall an unregistered motor vehicle or trailer or parts thereof, be stored within a required front yard.

This Bylaw shall be administered by the Chief of Police.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this Bylaw shall be fined not more than \$50.00 for each offense."

2) Amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting in its entirety Section 4130, Unregistered Vehicles, such deletion to become effective only upon the effective date of the above Town Bylaw.

The vote on this article was a hand vote, 229 yes, 11 no, and was declared Carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain, on behalf of the Sandwich Conservation Commission, for conservation purposes, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 8c, four (4) certain parcels of land (situated in Sandwich next to the entrance to Old Harbor, the first of which said parcels is owned in common by Donald Bourne, Meredith W. Bourne and Kathryn Bourne, and the second, third and fourth of which said parcels are owned respectively by Lombard C. Jones, Donald B. Jones and Eleanor Spurr, and which said parcels of land are shown respectively as parcels 1, 2, 3 and 4 on a plan entitled "Plan of Subdivision of Land of Jane B. Waterman, Lombard C. Jones, Donald B. Jones and Eleanor Spurr, drawn by Newell B. Snow, R.L.S." dated May 31, 1968,) and with respect to parcels 2, 3 and 4 shown on said plan to transfer and appropriate

from funds on hand voted under Article 12 of the 1972 Annual Town Meeting for the acquisition by purchase of said parcels, a sum of money therefor and authorize the Sandwich Conservation Commission to apply for state contributory grants under applicable state law in connection therewith.

It was **UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town take by eminent domain, on behalf of the Conservation Commission, for conservation purposes, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 8c, four (4) certain parcels of land situated in Sandwich next to the entrance to Old Harbor, the first of which said parcels is owned in common by Donald Bourne, Meredith Bourne and Kathryn Bourne, and the second, third and fourth of which said parcels are owned respectively by Lombard C. Jones, Donald B. Jones and Eleanor Spurr, and which said parcels of land are shown respectively as parcels 1, 2, 3 and 4 on a plan entitled "Plan of Subdivision of Land of Jane B. Waterman, Lombard C. Jones, Donald B. Jones and Eleanor Spurr, drawn by Newell B. Snow, R.L.S." dated May 31, 1968; and with respect to parcels 2, 3 and 4 as shown on said plan, to transfer and appropriate from funds on hand voted under Article 12 of the 1972 Annual Town Meeting for the acquisition by purchase of said parcels, the sum of \$93,250.00 and authorize the Sandwich Conservation Commission to apply for state contributory grants under applicable state law in connection therewith.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the following unexpended balances from special appropriation to the Surplus Revenue Account:

School Janitors Retroactive Pay	\$65.00
Highway Department Truck Purchase	189.35
Tree Department Truck Purchase	666.25
Highway Department Sand Spreader Purchase	150.00
Woodridge Road Taking	5.00
Dale Terrace Taking	5.00
Chapaquoit Way Taking	5.00
Windswept Drive Taking	5.00
Mill Road Taking	11.00
Quaker Meeting House Road Taking	10.00
Kiah's Way Taking	5.00

The article was unanimously voted.



ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into a lease with the Clark-Haddad Post 188, American Legion, or a building corporation formed by said Post, on Town land on Main Street, Sandwich, more particularly described in a deed recorded with Barnstable County Registry of Deeds in Book 1699, Page 293 on such terms, including length thereof, compensation and severability of any building erected thereon as are satisfactory to the Selectmen, or do anything relative thereto.

The article as presented was **UNANIMOUSLY VOTED.**

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 P.M.

CHANNING E. HOXIE,

Town of Sandwich  
Town Clerk



## 1972 State Election

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November 7, 1972

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the polls opened at 8:00 o'clock a.m. The ballot box was checked and the counter set at zero. The ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and the following Election Officers were administered an oath to faithful performance of their duties:

Ballot Clerks	Checkers	Ballot Box
Hilda E. Whitmore	Helen I. Palmer	Frederick A. Morey
Mabel M. L. George	Doris M. McNamara	
Cecile C. Bazzinotti	Elizabeth S. Frail	
Margaret M. Carlson	Mary A. Earle	

### Counters

James E. VanBuskirk	Merilyn Myers
Walter R. Alvezi	Earl L. Dwyer
Eleanor O. Bangs	Alice G. Beauchemin
Carol E. Morrow	Geraldine Brady
Louise A. Velsor	Barbara L. Gill
Barbara A. Mahoney	William O. Bryden
Claire C. Magnant	S. Vera Whidden
Elizabeth McMahon	Linda M. Crocker

The result of the balloting was as follows:

1	President & Vice President	
	Jenness and Pulley—Socialist Workers Party	9
	McGovern and Shriver—Democratic	872
	Nixon and Agnew—Republican	1525
	Schmitz and Anderson	5
	Benjamin Spock	1
	Edmund Muskie	1
	Hubert Humphrey	1
	Kennedy and Shriver	2
	George Wallace	1

Edward Brooke		1
Blanks		20
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Total Votes Include 18 Partial Ballots		2438
1	Senator In Congress	
	Edward W. Brooke—Republican	1810
	John J. Droney—Democratic	530
	Donald Gurewitz—Socialist Worker Party	36
	Blanks	44
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	Total	2420
1	Congressman	
	Gerry E. Studds—Democratic	876
	William D. Weeks—Republican	1502
	A. J. MacQuade	1
	Blanks	41
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	Total	2420
1	Councillor—1st District	
	Nicholas W. Mitchell—Democratic	1619
	George Wallace	1
	Beulah Southworth	1
	C. Maley	1
	Hastings Keith	1
	Blanks	797
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	Total	2420
1	Senator—Cape, Plymouth & Islands District	
	John F. Aylmer—Republican	1962
	Arthur Delia	1
	George Wallace	1
	C. Maley	2
	Patrick Ellis	1
	Clarence Cahoon	1
	Eliz. Rooney	1
	Blanks	451
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	Total	2420

1	Representative In General Court	
	Richard E. Kendall—Democratic	1775
	G. Wallace	1
	Rep. Read	1
	C. Maley	1
	W. Boyden	1
	Eugene Morrow	1
	Blanks	640
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	Total	2420
1	Register of Probate & Insolvency	
	Frederic P. Claussen—Republican	1867
	G. Wallace	1
	Blanks	552
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	Total	2420
2	County Commissioners	
	H. Heyworth Backus—Republican	1698
	Roger L. Savery—Republican	1435
	G. Wallace	1
	Richard Cahoon	1
	Henry Buckley	1
	Barry Sullivan	1
	R. O'Doherty	1
	Blanks	1702
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	Total	4840
1	County Treasurer	
	Kent T. Besse—Republican	1855
	C. Maley	1
	J. Brady	1
	Floyd Silvia	1
	Eliz. A. Sullivan	1
	Blanks	561
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	Total	2420

## QUESTION NO. 1

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held on June 18, 1969, received 221 votes in the affirmative and 22 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1971, received 238 votes in the affirmative and 14 in the negative?

## SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would authorize the Legislature to enact a law that agricultural and horticultural lands shall be valued, for taxation purposes, according to their agricultural or horticultural uses. No parcel of land less than five acres which has not been actively devoted to such uses for two years preceding the tax year could be valued at less than fair market value.

YES	1775
NO	380
BLANKS	265

## QUESTION NO. 2

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 18, 1969, received 143 votes in the affirmative and 113 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1971, received 243 votes in the affirmative and 11 in the negative?

## SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would bring the State Constitution into conformity with the 26th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States by setting the minimum age for voting at eighteen.

YES	1747
NO	447
BLANKS	226

## QUESTION NO. 3

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 18, 1969,



received 258 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1971, received 262 votes in the affirmative and 1 in the negative?

#### SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would remove the prohibition against paupers from voting.

YES	1743
NO	406
BLANKS	271

#### QUESTION NO. 4

##### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 18, 1969, received 264 votes in the affirmative and 1 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1971, received 264 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative?

#### SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would authorize the Legislature to enact a law to permit the Commonwealth to make loans for tuition and board at any college, university or institution of higher learning to students who are residents of the Commonwealth.

YES	1479
NO	722
BLANKS	219

#### QUESTION NO. 5

##### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held August 5, 1969, received 239 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1971, received 266 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative?

#### SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would annul Article 49 of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution and substitute a new amendment which declares that the people have the right to clean

air and water, freedom from excessive and unnecessary noise, and the natural, scenic, historic and esthetic qualities of their environment. It further declares that the protection of the right to the conservation, development and utilization of the agricultural, mineral, forest, water, air and other natural resources is a public purpose.

The Legislature is authorized to adopt necessary legislation and to provide for eminent domain takings where required for the purposes of the amendment. Any property so taken may only be used for other purposes or disposed of upon a two-thirds vote of the Legislature.

YES	1865
NO	305
BLANKS	250

#### QUESTION NO. 6

#### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held July 2, 1969, received 204 votes in the affirmative and 49 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1971, received 245 votes in the affirmative and 20 in the negative?

#### SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would authorize, but not require, the Legislature to modify the Massachusetts income tax laws by the use of graduated rates instead of the present flat or uniform rates. The Legislature could do this in any one of three ways:

1. Apply a uniform rate or percentage to an individual's federal income tax liability; or
2. Apply graduated rates to an individual's federal taxable income; or
3. Apply graduated rates to income determined to be taxable under Massachusetts law.

The Legislature would also be authorized to provide for reasonable exemptions, deductions and abateements and make the definition of any term used in the state tax law automatically the same as it is under Federal Law.

YES	665
NO	1578
BLANKS	177

## QUESTION NO. 7

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 18, 1969, received 198 votes in the affirmative and 63 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 12, 1971, received 231 votes in the affirmative and 31 in the negative?

## SUMMARY

The proposed amendment would require that all judges must retire upon reaching seventy years of age.

YES	1696
NO	524
BLANKS	200

## QUESTION NO. 8

Do you approve of an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and seventy-two, entitled "An Act lowering to eighteen years the age requirement of a person licensed to sell or allowed to purchase alcoholic beverages?"

YES	1129
NO	1053
BLANKS	238

## QUESTION NO. 9

"Shall the voluntary recitation of prayer be authorized in the public schools of the commonwealth?"

YES	1910
NO	343
BLANKS	167

## QUESTION NO. 10

"Shall the Representative from this district be instructed to vote to approve the passage of a constitutional amendment reducing the size of the Massachusetts House of Representatives from 240 members to 160 members?"

YES	1705
NO	426
BLANKS	289

The polls were closed at 8:00 o'clock P.M.

The total vote cast was 2,438, which included 141 absentee ballots and 18 partial ballots.

The voting lists of Checkers and Ballot Clerks were checked and found in order and these lists agreed with the ballot box counter.

I certify that this is a true record of the 1972 State Election held in Sandwich on November 7, 1972.

The total number of registered voters at the close of registration prior to the election was 2855.

CHANNING E. HOXIE,

Town Clerk of Sandwich



# Report of Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational - Technical School District

1972

**To the citizens of: Sandwich**

In compliance with Section 13 of the Agreement between the towns of the district, this annual report is submitted.

The membership of the Committee follows:

Town of Bourne—Frederick W. McComiskey  
John H. Phaneuf

Town of Falmouth—M. Gregg Hibbs  
James M. Crossen

**Town of Marion—Warren L. Washburn, Vice Chairman**

**Town of Sandwich—Edgar E. Caron, Chairman**

Town of Wareham—Robert A. Braman  
Donald E. Crosby

**Committee Counsel—John F. McCoy**

**Treasurer—John S. Jillson**

Assistant Treasurer—Martha B. Overlock

Secretary—Arthur L. Sweetman

Superintendent-Director—Arthur L. Sweetman

On September sixth we commenced our fourth year of operation with an enrollment of 538 of which 13 are tuition students from previous years. Our day school now starts at 7:45 a.m. and ends at 2:20 p.m. At 2:20 p.m. the new Career Development Program starts and runs until 5:00 p.m. This program is designed to offer occupational education to the students of our five towns who are enrolled in their local high schools and are desirous of receiving training in various occupational areas. Because of the time limitations, the afternoon students will not receive the amount of training

that our full-time day students do, but we feel this program provides an opportunity for actual experience in a trade area allowing the student to decide whether he wishes to pursue the trade as a career. If this experimental project is successful, it will become part of our annual offerings.

A new course in sheet metal was started this year in conjunction with our machine shop program in order to broaden the employment possibilities in this area. In planning for the future we have submitted two proposals to the Division of Occupational Education for their consideration—one in bricklaying and the other in distributive education. When they will be in operation will depend on when we receive the PL 92-318 funds for the first year's operating cost. We have in the past received funding for all new programs, and I feel sure that these programs will be treated in the same manner.

The Cooperative Program which was initiated last year has proven to be very successful and relieves any overcrowding which might exist in the shop areas. When a student is judged proficient in his trade, he is placed on a job with an employer for the entire week he would ordinarily spend in his shop. This allows the student to receive twenty weeks of actual on-the-job experience and he is paid by that employer for the time he spends on the job.

Once again this year the students at the Upper Cape were able to contribute many thousands of dollars' worth of labor in various projects in the five towns, such as, building a 200-foot bus loading platform; building guidance offices in a high school; working in police stations; remodeling a town library; many sign jobs; Christmas lighting work — just to name a few. The majority of these jobs included more than one department of the school. We are moving more and more each year to doing work for our five towns rather than the general public.

Work continues on the grounds and each year our plumbing department adds additional sections to our underground sprinkler system. This past year, because of the restrictions on the use of water for irrigation, it became necessary to install an artesian well capable of delivering in excess of 200 gallons of water per minute. This allows us to use our sprinklers whenever it is deemed necessary. We are also in

the process of relocating our soccer field in order to provide more areas for other sports, such as field hockey.

The Regional School District, in the way of financial assistance in 1972, received \$274,219.00 which represents our 50 percent reimbursement of net operating expense, and the remaining 29 percent of \$21,057.00 for the transportation reimbursement for the previous year. Under PL 90-576 funds, the District received \$1,443.00. the remaining 25 percent of a grant for salaries, and under PL 92-318, \$2,800.00 or 25 percent of a new grant for salaries and equipment. Also received was \$516.81 for a Library Grant and \$34,117.00 under PL 81-874 for Federally connected pupils.

In addition to this money, the towns of Bourne, Falmouth, Sandwich, and Wareham were entitled to receive an additional fifteen percent of their Chapter 70 entitlement.

Bourne's fifteen percent amounted to \$149,830.96

Falmouth's fifteen percent amounted to 78,874.54

Sandwich's fifteen percent amounted to 13,483.71

Wareham's fifteen percent amounted to 37,412.42

It is important to note that these funds are sent directly to the communities, not to the regional school district, as an additional fifteen percent state aid given only to communities who are part of a regional district. However, there is no requirement that the funds be used for the school budget.

We have enjoyed a very successful year due to the cooperation of all the school personnel, school administrators, advisory committee members, and town officials in the Regional School District. Thanks and sincere appreciation should be extended to all those who have contributed equipment and supplies to be used in our program of studies. In a report like this I would be remiss if I did not thank our own School Committee for their unfailing cooperation and assistance.

EDGAR E. CARON, Chairman



## Financial Statement

## Receipts

## 1972 Assessments

Bourne'	\$188,693.18	
Falmouth	224,070.36	
Marion	49,937.69	
Sandwich	43,449.31	
Wareham	199,481.14	
	<hr/>	\$705,631.68

## School Lunch Account

Cafeteria Sales	\$22,776.62	
State & Federal Reimburse.	7,855.66	
	<hr/>	30,632.28

## Federal Funds

PL 92-318 Salaries & Equipment	\$2,800.00	
PL 90-576 Salaries & Equipment	1,443.00	
PL 81-874 Federally Affected	34,117.00	
ESEA Title II Library	516.81	
	<hr/>	38,876.81

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Reimbursement—Operating	\$274,219.00	
Reimbursement—Transp.	21,057.00	
Construction Grant	62,949.32	
	<hr/>	358,225.32

## Miscellaneous

Shops	\$8,242.14	
Telephone Commission	59.44	
Refunds—Gym Suits	302.26	
Physical Damage Claim	540.22	
Canopy Settlement	14,400.00	
	<hr/>	23,544.06

Tuition Payments—Day	\$30,807.66	
Tuition Payments—Evening	410.00	
Registration Fees—Evening	1,221.00	



Sales Tax	10.00	
Meals Tax	21.94	
Employees' Payroll Deductions	168,693.70	
Interest On Investments	14,540.27	
Interest On Savings	39,882.97	
Athletic Revolving	591.00	
Book Revolving	591.07	
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	<hr/>	\$1,413,679.76
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**Expenditures**

School Committee Administrative Expense		\$4,179.10
Superintendent's Office		
Administrative Salaries	\$37,355.62	
Other Expense	669.81	
Supplies & Materials	1,457.49	
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**Expense Of Instruction**

Administrative Salaries	\$67,204.64	
Supplies, Postage, Travel	3,538.90	
Instructors' Salaries	443,930.64	
Instructional Supplies	44,115.05	
Textbooks	7,159.92	
Library Books	9,809.18	
Evening School	10,353.20	
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**Other School Activities**

Guidance Salaries	\$34,686.95	
Supplies & Expense	1,089.71	
Health Salaries	9,472.53	
Health Supplies & Expense	346.86	
Cafeteria Salaries	7,700.00	
Cafeteria Supplies & Expense	3,650.00	
Athletic Salaries	6,418.76	
Athletic Equipment & Expense	6,784.66	
Student Body Activities	1,651.42	
Pupil Transportation	80,025.84	
	<hr/>	151,826.73

**Operation and Maintenance**

Custodial Salaries	\$57,122.43	
Custodial Supplies	3,850.04	
Fuel & Utilities	37,474.39	
Maintenance of Building and Grounds	6,791.05	
	<hr/>	105,237.91

**Fixed Charges**

Insurance		27,136.65
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**PL 90-576 & PL 81-874****Revolving Funds**

Instruction & Equipment		80,232.05
ESEA Title II Library—Supplies		420.90
School Lunch	\$32,132.88	
Athletic Program	117.84	
Book Revolving	106.40	
	<hr/>	32,357.12

Sales Taxes		10.04
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Meals Tax	21.94	
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Employees' Payroll Deductions		168,682.14
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Physical Damage		1,352.98
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**Debt Service**

Principal (Bond Issue)	\$165,000.00	
Interest	113,300.00	
	<hr/>	278,300.00

School Construction		25,190.74
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<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>		<hr/> <b>\$1,500,542.75</b> <hr/> <hr/>
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**Summary (Complete—including Construction Accounts)****January 1, 1972, Balance On Hand**

School Lunch Revolving Fund	\$2,872.65
Sales Tax Account	1.04
PL 90-576	69,541.05
PL 81-874	10,691.00
ESEA Title II Library	5.82
Physical Damage	919.26
Employee's Payroll Deduction	.37
Library Reserve	5,181.82

Retroactive Salary Reserve	12,000.00	
Shop Agency Accounts	432.28	
Surplus Revenue	529,734.65	
Reserve for Capital Costs	11,731.28	
School Construction	117,399.17	
Operating Reimburse. 1970	177,953.00	
Transp. Reimbursement 1971	51,553.00	
	<hr/>	\$990,016.39
Plus Receipts—1972		1,413,679.76
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		\$2,403,696.15
Less Expenditures—1972		1,500,542.75
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## December 31, 1972, Balance On Hand

School Lunch Revolving Fund	\$1,372.05	
Sales Tax Account	1.00	
PL 90-576	1,443.00	
PL 92-318	2,800.00	
*PL 81-874	34,117.00	
ESEA Title II Library	101.73	
Physical Damage	106.50	
Employee's Payroll Deductions	11.93	
Library Reserve	1,372.64	
Committee Expense Reserve	1,608.60	
Grounds Care Reserve	2,414.48	
Health Insurance Reserve	11.93	
Surplus Revenue	464,276.00	
Reserve for Capital Costs	11,731.28	
School Construction	92,208.43	
**Operating Reimburse. 1971	274,219.00	
Canopy Reserve	14,400.00	
Athletic Revolving	473.16	
Book Revolving	484.67	
	<hr/>	\$903,153.40
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\* Credited to towns to reduce their assessments for 1973

\*\* To be used to reduce budget 1973

**Statement of Annual Charges Assessed**

1. Net amounts to be raised and appropriated for 1/1/73 - 6/30/74 Operating Budget:

	<b>Pupil Enrollment</b>		<b>Credit</b>	
	<b>10/1/72</b>		<b>PL 81-874</b>	<b>Net</b>
Bourne	137	\$222,390.01	\$17,420.14	\$204,969.87
Falmouth	181	293,793.39	8,710.07	285,083.32
Marion	27	43,796.35	726.69	43,069.66
Sandwich	34	55,128.86	- 0 -	55,128.86
Wareham	146	236,960.39	7,260.10	229,700.29

2. Amounts to be raised and appropriated for 1/1/73 - 6/30/74 Capital Budget:

Bourne	\$66,249.78
Falmouth	98,383.37
Marion	15,242.85
Sandwich	19,491.29
Wareham	58,113.39

JOHN S. JILLSON, Treasurer



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FOR 1972

# Town of Sandwich School Organization

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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Roberta F. Leydon	1975
Stanley A. Torrey	1975
Roland F. DeConto, Chairman	1974
Frank E. Colombo, D.M.D., Secretary	1974
Joan B. Morrow	1973
Howard P. Crowell	1973

## SUPERINTENDENT

Anthony D'Antuono, 190 Waterside Drive, No. Falmouth  
 Office: Sea Lake Corporation Building  
 Telephone: 888-1054

## PRINCIPALS

### Sandwich High School

James H. Sibson, Box 356, Sandwich  
 School Telephone: 888-0220  
 Sandwich Elementary School

James G. Dolan, Minden Lane, Yarmouth Port  
 School Telephone: 888-1343

## GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

R. Theodore Steinhilber  
 Box 86, West Barnstable  
 School Telephone: 888-3666

## CLERKS

Dagny M. Miller — Superintendent's Office  
 Jessie L. Hunt — Superintendent's Office  
 Janet M. Trenholm — Guidance Office  
 Lorraine R. Tomasek — High Schol Office  
 Ruth M. Tyback — Elementary School Office

## SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

John H. Lewis, M.D. 888-0770

## SCHOOL NURSE

Janet E. Davis, R.N.	888-1378
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## CUSTODIANS

Roy F. Drew	888-2280
Norman E. Weekes	888-1210
Gerald O. Downing	
John R. Powers	759-3229
Austin F. Finn	888-2950
Leonard J. DeCota	888-2906
Elmer F. Brackett	362-6892
Joseph M. Comick	888-0699

## School Calendar

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1973

Winter Term:

January 2 through February 16

Winter Recess:

February 19 through February 23

Early Spring Term:

February 26 through April 13

Spring Recess:

April 16 through April 20

Late Spring Term:

April 23 through June 22

Fall Term:

September 5 through December 21

Thanksgiving Recess:

November 22 and 23

Christmas Recess:

December 24 through December 28

No School:

Memorial Day, May 28

Columbus Day, October 8

Veterans' Day, October 22

Barnstable County Convention Day



# HENRY T. WING JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY — 1972-1973

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Name	Subject or Grade	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
James H. Sibson	Principal	Bowdoin Col., A.B., Worcester State Col., M.Ed.	1963
Robert A. Fenton	Asst. Principal	Pennsylvania State University, B.S.	1963
R. Theodore Steinhilber	Guidance	Suffolk University, B.S., M.Ed.	1971
Eugene A. Ash, Jr.	High School	Salem State College, B.S.	1968
Joan W. Coggeshall	Jr. High & High	B.U. Jr. Col., A.A., New Eng. Cons. of Mus., B.M.	1972
Marceline Colton	High School	University of Grenoble, France	1971
William L. Doyle	High School	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1962
Thomas Eagar	Jr. High & High	St. Columban's Col., B.A., Boston State Col., M.A.	1970
Paul Emerson	Industrial Arts	Wentworth Institute, Rhode Island Col., B.S.	1972
Harry D. Evans III	High School	Castleton State College, B.S.	1971
Edward Giardino	Jr. High & High	Loyola University, Montreal, B.A.	1970
Diane Gomez	High School	Trenton State Col., Boston University, B.S.	1969
Barbara Harriman	Physical Education	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969
John Halvorson	Art	Boston University, B.A.	1970
R. Edward Heywood Jr.	Music	Lowell State Col., B. of Music Education	1970
Edward Hoxie	Jr. High & High	Suffolk University, B.A., M.A.	1971
Mary R. Huff	High School	Salem State Teachers College, B.S.	1964
Robert Inman	Jr. High & High	Salem State Teachers College, B.A.	1970
Alexander Laird	Jr. High School	Muskingum Col., B.A., Central Conn. State, M.A.	1971
David Linley	Jr. High & High	University of Bridgeport, B.S.	1972
Donald Long	Physical Education	Univ. of Mass., B.S., Bridgewater State Col., M.Ed.	1959
Virginia Milne	High School	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S.	1962
Maryclaire Mulcahy	Jr. High & High	Bridgewater State Col., B.S., Boston Univ., M.Ed.	1966
William Naylor	Jr. High School	Marietta College, B.S.	1971
Ann Palmer	Jr. High & High	Boston University, B.S.	1970
Barbara Jones	Home Economics	Indiana University of Pennsylvania, B.S.	1971
Sylvia Phillips	High School	West Liberty College, B.A.	1968
Esther Rickheit	Librarian	Boston University, B.S., Simmons College	1967
Otto Schleicher	A/V Director	Boston University, B.B.A.	1964

Name	Subject or Grade	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
Bruce Stanford	High School	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1964
Winthrop Trenholm	High School	Old Dominion College, B.A.	1968
Gretchen Webster	Jr. High & High	Bradley University, B.S.	1969
Edwin Zion	Jr. High School	Bridgewater State Teachers Col., B.S. & M.Ed.	1948
	Library Aide		1972
	Study Hall		1972

## HENRY T. WING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACULTY — 1972-1973

Name	Subject or Grade	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
James G. Dolan	Principal	Northeastern University, B.S.; Bridgewater State College, Ed.M.	1960
Joan C. Belliveau	Grade 6	Curry College, B.S.	1971
Donald O. McCulloch	Grade 6	University of Nebraska at Omaha, B.G.E.; Bridgewater State College, M.Ed., Reading	1972
MacGregor Wale	Grade 6	Inter-American Univ., San German, B.A.	1968
Mary E. Winings	Grade 6	Univ. of Illinois, B.S.; Bradley Univ., M.A.	1969
Mary Beth Dunphe	Grade 5	Framingham State College, B.A.	1968
Priscilla C. Stoll	Grade 5	Upsala College, A.B.	1964
Roger A. Eastman	Grade 5	United States Coast Guard Academy, B.S.	1969
Mary C. Celata	Grade 4	Boston University, A.B.	1969
Elizabeth T. Ferris	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1971
Linda W. Robbins	Grade 4	University of Maryland, B.S.	1972
Margaret M. Alvezi	Grade 3	Hyannis State Teachers College	1957
Virginia E. Lewis	Grade 3	Franklin College, B.A.	1972
Pamela J. Santino	Grade 3	Boston State College, B.S.	1969
R. Naomi White	Grade 3	Bridgewater State Teachers Col., B.S., Ed.M.	1961
Nora M. Bianchi	Grade 2	Hyannis State Teachers College, B.S.	1942

Name	Subject or Grade	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
Lois Chenette	Grade 2	Boston State College, B.S.	1972
Linda J. Hart	Grade 2	Framingham State College, B.S.	1972
Christine M. Richard	Grade 2	North Adams State College, B.S.	1969
Emma V. Adams	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1966
Judith A. Gaylord	Grade 1	Framingham State College, B.S.	1972
Karen M. Milkey	Grade 1	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1972
Ann E. Hamlen	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S.	1967
Christine E. Petravic	Kindergarten	Westfield State College, B.S.E.	1972
Joan W. Coggeshall	Music	New England Conservatory of Music	1972
Lenore A. Dorson	Art	Hiram College, B.A.	1967
William K. Earle	Physical Education	University of Massachusetts, B.S.	1972
Betty Jane Fitzgerald	Music	Bradford Jr. College; Syracuse Univ., B.M. M.A., T.V.S.	1972
Kathleen C. McGonagle	Speech	Emerson College, B.S.	1970
K. Maurine Smith	Remedial Reading	Russell Sage College, B.S., M.A.	1971
Katherine Alvezi	Teacher Aide		1969
Lynne S. Blake	Teacher Aide		1971
Janice A. Brule	Teacher Aide		1971
Marie J. Hamlen	Teacher Aide		1971
June E. Suller	Teacher Aide		1971
Eleanor C. Winslow	Teacher Aide		1967

## General Information

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### School Committee Meetings:

School Committee meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month, at the Henry T. Wing School.

### School Entrance:

#### Kindergarten—

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend Kindergarten provided he has reached the age of four years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

#### Grade One—

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend Grade One provided he has reached the age of five years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

The State Laws require that all children seven years of age and over, who are physically and mentally able, attend school.

### Birth Certificate:

A birth certificate is required for all children entering either Kindergarten or Grade One.

### Vaccination:

No child shall be allowed to enter school without a certificate of vaccination.

### No School:

Every effort will be made to have school whenever feasible. Children not properly clothed should be kept home on stormy days. On those days when transportation by school bus is impossible, no school sessions will be held. The notice will be broadcast over radio stations WEEI, WNAC, WBZ, WHDH, and WOCB at 7:00, 7:30, and 8:00 a.m. Also, there will be one long signal from the Sandwich and East Sandwich Fire Stations at 7:00 a.m. for Grades 7-12, and again, at 8:00 a.m. for Grades K-6. In the event that it becomes necessary to close school before the regular dismissal time due to power failure, severe weather conditions, etc., the above radio stations will broadcast this information at 12:00 Noon.



## Report of the Superintendent of Schools

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### To the School Committee and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

So many interesting and significant things are happening so fast in the Sandwich Public Schools that it is difficult to know just where to begin this report! My own feelings of gratitude and appreciation prompt me honestly to start where some reports finish — with a very sincere expression of my personal thanks to the Sandwich community, the members of the School Committee, the fine principals of our schools, Mr. James Dolan and Mr. James Sibson, as well as each and every one of the faculty and staff members whose responsiveness and spirit of cooperation have been both helpful and satisfying to me.

Strong community interest and involvement in plans for the new junior-senior high school are very fortunately evident, first of all, so it is rewarding to report that real progress is being made toward meeting this crucial need.

The rapidly increasing number of students adds to the urgency of our building plans, of course. As of October 1, 1972, the school population has grown 61.5% during the past five years. There were 1,048 students in the Sandwich Schools (Kindergarten through Grade 12), — an increase of 169 students, or a 19% addition in just one year. Since these percentage figures of the past year are more than three times those predicted by the 1970 Engelhardt and Engelhardt study, and since 4,000 more new building lots have now been submitted for approval as of last December, it is obvious that our building plans must move ahead as fast as possible, even as we seek to build as economically as we can. Due to this increase in school population and the growth in the community, the educational specifications for the new high school have been revised to accommodate 1,000 students rather than 750 students as originally anticipated.

Because growth in so many respects was the story of 1972 — and in particular because more children were being enrolled in the elementary school than the building could accommodate — the provision of more space for elementary school children became a matter of immediate and top

priority at the very outset of my superintendency. Arrangements were completed and the construction of seven new portable classrooms was started before school began in September. While the seemingly inevitable construction delays have been frustrating, it is rewarding to report that construction is now completed.

Nevertheless, the pressure of high costs and a burgeoning school population must not obscure the fact that **QUALITY EDUCATION** is the primary concern of our public schools. In this respect some very worthwhile things are happening right now that deserve to be noticed, and we have some exciting plans for the near future, too.

Of particular note is the closer relationship that is developing between parents and teachers in the elementary school as a result of the parent-teacher conferences that took the place of report cards during the fall term. Ninety-three percent of the parents took part in this project; thirty-three percent of the classes had perfect attendance. The kind of personalized communication that these conferences afford should also make possible a much more complete and accurate evaluation of every student's achievement.

While some "growing pains" may be inevitable, the problems created by a lack of communication can surely be avoided. To assure this the quarterly newsletter known as "Contact" has been created, in order that **ALL** taxpayers may learn of new developments in their schools. As curriculum and organizational changes take place, Sandwich School Department officials and teachers will also be available as speakers or resource leaders for local church, civic, and neighborhood groups. Further still, your school principals and I will welcome letters, calls, or visits from citizens who have questions, constructive criticisms, or problems related to their schools.

Through In-Service programs for our teachers that are carried on during school time, much is also being done to train our faculty in the methods and materials of Individualization — an approach to education that focuses on the uniqueness and needs of each pupil and attempts to teach children **HOW** to learn rather than simply transmitting information indiscriminately. Our faculty members tell me constantly how glad they are for these In-Service opportunities for professional growth and enrichment.



As we build both in terms of facilities and methods today, however, our sights are always moving out ahead to draw an even more challenging future closer to ourselves. Our new Sandwich Schools promise to be even better than the best we can now offer. Through an emphasis on team teaching and the flexible grouping and regrouping of students according to abilities and interests, as well as through individualization, we expect to offer ever better educational opportunities to our children and young people. Our new schools will be non-graded and will allow for continuous progress learning at levels and rates that are suitable for every student. This non-graded system also reduces the "penalty" of failure and both stimulates and rewards individual initiative and effort.

A multi-media approach to teaching and learning will be used in our new schools too, with a maximum use of electronic equipment and other modern materials. In our new high school, clubs and other activities that are now considered to be "extra-curricular" will be incorporated into the classroom experience. Teachers will become more involved in personalized guidance of their students, and the emphasis will be upon students and teachers as associates in a learning community.

The new Sandwich Schools will belong more truly to adults too, not just to children and young people. On the "drawing board" at present, for example, is a Community School Adult Program, which will offer a wide variety of educational opportunities for all adult citizens, whether they wish, as many do, to complete high school requirements at an adult rather than adolescent level, or simply to enrich themselves through learning about hobbies, avocations, or recreational activities. Educational Guidance Services will in time be offered to adults too, and Senior Citizens will discover that their schools are open and available to them at all hours of the day, not just in the evening. In short: our goal for the near future is to see the Sandwich Schools become centers of learning and living for ALL members of the Community.

Through the pressures of the present, then, as we respond to an almost unbelievable growth in population and to the needs and costs that this situation creates, our Sandwich Schools are moving toward what promises to be a very exciting future. Sustained, as I am sure we shall be, by

public interest and participation and supported as we are already by able and dedicated educators, I am confident that our relationship will continue to be both pleasant and productive in the days ahead.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY D'ANTUONO,  
Superintendent of Schools



# Report of the High School Principal

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## To the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools:

Our School Enrollment as of December 31, 1972:

Grade 7	91
Grade 8	93
Grade 9	85
Grade 10	68
Grade 11	63
Grade 12	60

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461 — Total Enrollment

This past year the towns of Bourne, Sandwich and Mashpee lost an excellent educator and a fine and warm person, who loved children, when Clayton E. Campbell, Superintendent of Union #10 retired from education. Mr. Campbell devoted his life to children and will be missed by all who came in contact with him. No town report from the school system of Sandwich would be complete in 1972 without mentioning the retirement of Mr. Clayton E. Campbell, the educator and the man.

The Glass Chapter of the National Honor Society inducted into their membership the following students: Marsha Adams, Myles Hickey, Frank Harrison, Randall Lewis, Stephen McMahon, David DeConto, Debra Elvander, Dorothy Hogan and Thomas Miller.

The Student Council of Sandwich High School sponsored the annual "Activities Night" for students who participated in Extra-Curricular programs during the school year. Highlight of the evening was the Edwin Zion Good Sportsmanship Award presented to Marilyn Gilfoy and John Ahonen.

Thomas Miller and William Hendy were elected to the All Cape Soccer team for 1972. Thomas Miller and William Hendy, along with Myles Hickey and Norman Weekes, played in the All Cape Soccer exhibition held at Chatham, under the lights, on Friday, November 10, 1972.

Thomas Miller was also selected on the All Eastern Massachusetts second team for Soccer.

Sandwich High School won the Cape & Island Boys Championship, finished second in the Cape Cod Principals Tournament and went to the second round of the Massachusetts State Basketball Tournament. A truly outstanding record by a fine young group of men. The championship in Boys Basketball was a long time in coming but when a banquet was put on for the team, everyone helped out and the tribute was a great success — a most exciting and rewarding basketball season.

John Ahonen and Thomas Stoll were named to the All Cape All Star Basketball Team. The Sportsmanship Award of Cape Cod High School Basketball was awarded to John Ahonen by the Cape Cod Board of Basketball Officials.

New Faculty members for 1972-73 are:

Spanish — Mr. David Linley

Industrial Arts — Mr. Paul Emerson

French (full time) — Mrs. Marceline Colton

Music (chorus) — Mrs. Joan Coggeshall

Study Hall Supervisor — Mr. Silvio Tedeschi

Library Aide — Mrs. Michelle Earle

The year 1972 was a difficult one, growing pains in a town put immediate pressure on the school systems, school age children must be housed the day they enter school. We have been growing at a rapid pace, much faster than earlier reports show on paper.

The Sandwich Junior-Senior High School was evaluated in 1972 by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. The evaluation team consisted of a group of educators from all over New England, who came to our school for four days and wrote a very detailed report based on our self-evaluation. Although there are many recommendations made for each department, the main problems are lack of space, the need for curriculum expansion, and establishment of Department Heads. Expansion of the curriculum means more space, in most cases, so we will have our limitations until a new school is in operation.

We felt we had a good evaluation and were pleased to find we were given full accreditation for five years. We do have to file a two year report in 1974 to make sure we are making progress on the evaluation recommendations.

Curriculum has improved at Sandwich Junior-Senior High School by adding electives in English and Social Stud-

ies — thus giving the students more of a variety. In grades 7 and 8 we have almost eliminated study halls by adding a Language Survey course.

Requirements for graduation have been made a little more realistic and this helps the student elect more subjects during their high school years.

We have, in 1972, and will continue to do so in 1973, been looking for alternative ways to help our educational process. To have alternatives means more space and again we are searching within our school for a room or hallway or any place to help students in different programs than ones already available.

I shall close my report by sincerely thanking the townspeople, School Committee members, Superintendent of Schools, and the Elementary School Principal for their efforts on my behalf. Also, to the faculty and school personnel, my sincere thanks for all your help during the past school year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES H. SIBSON,  
Principal



# Report of the Elementary School Principal

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## To the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools:

With the writing of this, my fourth annual report as Principal of the Elementary School, there continue to be as many changes in education as there are in other areas of our lives.

One such change has been the retirement of Clayton E. Campbell as Superintendent of Schools in Sandwich. Mr. Campbell gave many years to the forward movement of education in this Town and the Upper Cape Regional Area. He richly deserves the leisure he is enjoying. To him, we express our thanks for a job well done over his many years of service.

We welcome Dr. Anthony D'Antuono, our new Superintendent, who brings many years of educational experience with him to continue in the development of sound educational programs and policies.

The School Committee reflects change in that we have two new members, Mrs. Roberta Leydon and Mr. Stanley Torrey who replace Mr. Willard Boyden and Mr. Paul O'Connell. Welcome aboard to our new members and our expression of thanks and appreciation to Mr. Boyden and Mr. O'Connell for their dedicated services of the past, services which have helped to shape our present and future.

Other personnel changes have been the addition to our staff of seven classroom teachers and three replacements, two of which are temporary. The range in experience of these teachers is up to three or more years with an average of two years. Professional assignments are as follows: Mrs. Christine Petravic, Kindergarten; Mrs. Gaylord and Miss Karen Milkey, Grade 1; Mrs. Linda Hart and Miss Lois Chenette, Grade 2; Mrs. Virginia Lewis, Grade 3; Mrs. Linda Robbins, Grade 4; Mr. Donald McCulloch, Grade 6. Mr. William Earle, Physical Education; Mrs. Christina Jacobi, Art; and Mrs. Joan Coggeshall who is teaching Music part time in the Elementary School. We have missed the services of Mrs. Jacquelyn Hart and Mrs. Lenore Dorson who are on leave of absence.



The seven re-locatable classrooms provide space for our increased enrollment which is just short of 600 pupils at the present time, Kindergarten through Grade 6. While we are on the subject of pupil enrollment, I feel obligated to state that even with the additional temporary classrooms our enrollment will continue to increase as the Town grows but our school facilities remain the same. The average classroom size now runs about 25 pupils.

We go on with our work in curriculum changes with a new Science program in Kindergarten and Grade 1 in September; Grade 2 will be added to this program in September, 1973; other grade levels will be added each year. In addition, a new Reading program on an experimental basis in one classroom in Grade 1 is under way and is being evaluated. Grade 2 has joined the upper grades in homogeneous grouping for Math and Reading classes, within the grade. Grade 4 has refined groups to another stage. Grade 6 teachers have tried some aspects of departmentalization with one Teacher of the four sixth grade Teachers being responsible for Reading, one each for Math, Social Studies and Language Arts. The other areas of the sixth grade curriculum continue to be self-contained. More changes are being contemplated and are in various stages of planning.

This year, we tried for the first time a modified school day which was set up for "Open House" during American Education Week. In my opinion, this met with moderate success. With some changes, we hope to do better in this aspect of community involvement.

Also, we adopted Parent-Teacher conferences to replace the first term report card. If judgment were based only on attendance (93%), this also was a success. The few comments we had on both of the aforementioned were, for the most part, complimentary and were suggestions for improvement — and improve we must.

Once more, I extend our invitation to parents and citizens to visit the school and the classrooms to become informed — see what it is like to attend school in the 70's as opposed to 10, 20, 30 or more years ago. The welcome mat is out at **your** school. Come on in!

To everyone in education, professional newcomers and those of longer service, to the parents of the children and

to the citizens of the community; finally, to the children of the community my expression of appreciation for your fine work and contributions to what has been a good year in the Sandwich Elementary School.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. DOLAN,  
Principal

# Financial Statement

Statement for the Year Ending December 31, 1972

	Budget 1972	Expenditures from:	
		P.L. #874	Town Approp.
<b>Administration</b>	\$24,524.00	\$398.25	\$26,813.25
School Committee Expense	900.00	95.00	780.24
Superintendent's Office			
Superintendent's Salaries	14,234.00		15,415.81
School Accountant Salary	5,054.00		5,068.41
Office Secretary Salary	3,036.00		3,661.95
School Census	50.00		150.00
Superintendent's Expense	1,250.00	303.25	1,736.84
<b>Instruction</b>	661,876.00	8,209.19	656,638.57
Principals' Office Expense			
Principals' Salaries	30,704.00		30,521.57
Secretaries' Salaries	11,467.00		12,084.48
Prin. Office Expense	1,100.00	212.78	1,240.79
Graduation	600.00		540.23
Prin. Other Expense	4,590.00	1,699.90	5,731.56
<b>Teaching</b>			
Salaries	551,153.00	240.00	550,703.47
Supplies	23,810.00	4,422.85	27,346.27
Guidance	19,552.00	77.00	17,426.65
Textbooks	14,000.00	1,151.00	7,211.79
Libraries	4,900.00	405.66	3,831.76
<b>Other School Services</b>	94,552.00	1,763.78	89,613.31
Health Services	6,110.00	810.78	5,273.39
Transportation	66,422.00	758.30	64,056.85
Food Services	10,000.00	13.80	10,949.30
Athletics	12,020.00	180.90	9,333.77
<b>Operation and Maintenance</b>	103,408.00	11,624.31	95,281.07
Janitor Service	47,674.00		53,723.03
Janitor Supplies	2,000.00	950.98	1,951.47
Fuel	14,900.00	5,800.48	8,818.39
Miscellaneous Operating	1,000.00	105.55	1,358.43
Utilities	11,900.00	2,728.13	10,153.59
Maintenance School Grounds	9,334.00	99.14	7,968.32
Maintenance School Buildings	12,550.00	858.29	8,877.48
Maintenance Equipment	1,800.00	1,081.74	2,330.36
Replacement of Equipment	2,250.00		100.00
<b>Fixed Charges</b>	4,450.00	760.25	4,373.33
Insurance	2,650.00	110.25	2,635.00
Rental of Facilities	1,800.00	650.00	1,738.33
<b>Community Services</b>	3,900.00	225.00	2,175.00
Adult Education	1,200.00		1,200.00
Summer School	1,500.00		
Sat. Morning Sports	300.00		300.00
Mental Health/Pocasset	900.00	225.00	675.00

	Budget 1972	Expenditures from: P.L. #874 Town Approp.	
Acquisition of New Equipment	15,393.00	314.02	14,018.85
Programs With Other Schools	6,448.00	590.37	1,748.57
Vocational Tuition	800.00	.00	.00
Adult Vocational Tuition	500.00	196.50	370.00
Special Education Tuition	5,148.00	219.87	1,552.07
Total School Budget, 1972	\$914,551.00		
Expenditures	914,547.12		
Budget Balance, 12/31/72	\$3.88		
Town Appropriation, 1972		\$890,662.00	
Expenditures		890,661.95	
Balance, 12/31/72		\$ .05	
	P.L. #874 Funds Applied		\$23,889.00
	Expenditures		23,885.17
	Balance, 12/31/72		\$3.83
	P.L. #874 Receipts, 1972		34,823.09
	Available to be Applied to 1973 Budget		\$34,826.92



# Financial Statement

## SANDWICH ELEMENTARY ACTIVITY FUND

### SANDWICH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

December 29, 1972

#### Accounts

General	\$237.74
Picture Re-takes	52.50
Newspaper Collections	52.56
Flower	17.51
Music	14.75
Library	20.57
Cola Cola	31.04
Pencil	85.19
Kindergarten	230.84

#### Total Accounts

\$742.70

Bank Balance, November 30, 1972	\$1,144.67
Outstanding Checks	683.27
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	\$ 461.40

#### Cash on Hand

44.05

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\$ 505.45

#### Bank Deposits

12/6	\$138.75
12/22	98.50

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237.25

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\$742.70

## Report of the School Nurse

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### To the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools:

The school health program tries to promote, protect and maintain the health of all pupils. By providing a healthful environment the child is able to progress towards his full potential. The school nurse is responsible for first aid, assistance with medical examinations and immunizations, screening testing, health counseling, record keeping and follow up to assure effective action on findings and recommendations of the school health program. She is available to help the parent in his responsibility.

The Immunization Clinic provided the following:

Kindergarten .....	18 Rubella Vaccine
Grade 7 .....	15 Mumps Vaccine
Grade 10 .....	23 Tetanus-Diphtheria Booster
Grade 1 & 9 .....	117 Tuberculin Tine Tests

A pre-school clinic was held in June for all students who would be entering school in September. Thirty-eight children attended this clinic. Physical examinations and required immunizations were given by Dr. Charles Gleason, Pediatrician. Miss Frances Silva assisted with the clinic.

Annual physical examinations were given by Dr. John Lewis (School Physician) to all students who participate in competitive sports. Routine examinations were given in grades 4, 7 and 10.

Hearing and Vision screening is conducted in all grades. Testing is arranged so as not to interfere with the various supervisors, and to keep class interruption at a minimum. Testing was done with the help of Mrs. Carlo Pola, Mrs. Allen Peterson, Mrs. Stephen Hall and Mrs. John MacLachlan.

Appointments for Chest X-Rays for school personnel were made and completed at the beginning of the school year. This is required of all school personnel and must be renewed every three years. In addition to this, all cafeteria personnel are now required to have yearly physical examinations.

The Future Nurses' Club continues to function. The girls participate in various health programs and clinics conducted at school and with the Red Cross Bloodmobile program in the community. Field trips are arranged for the girls to visit a hospital and a school of nursing.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the parents, the administration and faculty, the School Physician and all those who have helped me in my position as school nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

JANET E. DAVIS, R.N.,  
School Nurse

## HENRY T. WING SCHOOL

## Membership by Age and Grade — October 1, 1972

Grade	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Totals
B K	8	38	2													48
G K	6	34														40 88
B 1		6	32	2												40
G 1		7	27													34 74
B 2			10	38	3											51
G 2			4	24	1											29 80
B 3				7	30	4										41
G 3				10	41	4										55 96
B 4					8	28	6									42
G 4					4	28	3									35 77
B 5						4	32	9			1					46
G 5						5	34	1								40 86
B 6							2	36	8	1						47
G 6							6	28	6							40 87
B 7								4	33	9						46
G 7								11	32	2						45 91
B 8									3	35	10	1				49
G 8									10	31	4	1				46 95
B 9										6	29	5	1			41
G 9										5	30	4				39 80
B 10											4	26	4			34
G 10											5	28	3			36 70
B 11												2	22	2	1	27
G 11												5	30	2		37 64
B 12													3	21	1	25
G 12													5	28	1	34 59
Boys	8	44	44	47	41	36	40	49	44	51	44	34	30	23	2	537
Girls	6	41	31	34	46	37	43	40	48	38	39	38	38	30	1	510 1047



## 1972 COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

PRELUDE	"Poet and Peasant Overture"
PROCESSIONAL	"Pomp and Circumstance"
INVOCATION*	The Reverend Harry Gordon
WELCOME ADDRESS	Terrance O'Connell
HONOR ESSAY	Leo Pola
CHORUS SELECTIONS	
"Scarborough Fair-Canticle"	Simon & Garfunkle
"Sunrise, Sunset"	Harnick & Bock
GLASS GIFT	Terrance O'Connell
HONOR ESSAY	Mary Ann Alberts
HONOR ESSAY	Frederick Bryden
AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES	
Mrs. Richard W. Leyden - Sandwich School Committee	
THE CLASS OF "72"	Marilyn Gilfoy & David Persson
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS	
Mr. Clayton E. Campbell, Superintendent	
ALMA MATER*	Senior Class, Chorus and Audience
BENEDICTION*	The Reverend John H. Thomas
RECESSIONAL*	
Special Guests - Kimberly Vance and Peter Ward	

## CLASS OF 1972

*John Winthrop Ahonen	Marilyn Marie Metcalf
**Mary Ann Peckham Alberts	Kenneth O. Monte
‡Frederick A. Bryden	Vivian Irene Myers
Ronald J. Bucell	Michael Dewey Newhall
Susan Anne Campbell	Judith C. Newman
*Debra Joyce Carr	Terrance Paul O'Connell
Jan Amy Carson	Stephen Paul Osgood
David William Crane	Jo-Ann Lee Pambuko
Robert David Crowe	*David Paul Persson
David Richard Currier	*Leo M. Pola
*Terry Ann Daniels	*Geoffrey Wyatt Pope
Barbara Ann DiMaria	*Josephine Helen Russell
*Barbara Ruth Doane	*Raymond Thomas Scovill
Patti Ann Fallon	Thomas Caldwell Stoll
Stephen Thomas Gallant	John Patrick Thibideau, Jr.
Marilyn Ann Gilfoy	David Scott Thomas
*Nelda Marie Hoxie	*Vicky Sue Titcomb
Gary Abbott Johnson	Bruce Allen Torrey
Richard T. Jordan, Jr.	*William Edwin Tyback
Carl Haskell Justice III	Chris Allen Uggerholt
Richard Alldis Latimer, Jr.	*Robin Lucille Vance
*Frank Frey Limouze	Victoria Jean Volker
Gerard Emmett MacDonald II	Jeanne Elizabeth Wallace
*Patricia Lee Martin	William Thomas Ward
Sarah Elizabeth Martin	Alayne F. Warren
Wendy Anne McKee	*Robert Cummings Welch
Gail Marie McLaughlin	*Nancy White

Robert Lindsay White, Jr.

\* Honor Students

\*\* Salutatorian

‡ Valedictorian

## Class Officers

President .....	Terrance P. O'Connell
Vice President .....	Jeanne E. Wallace
Secretary .....	Barbara A. DiMaria
Treasurer .....	Marilyn A. Gilfoy

## Class Motto

"We Have Only Just Begun . . ."

## Class Colors

Black & White

## Class Flower

Mayflower

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

June 2, 1972

### Faunce Scholarship

The Faunce Scholarship has been awarded to an outstanding member of the Senior Class: ROBIN VANCE. Miss Vance will attend Cape Cod Community College.

### Sandwich High School Association Scholarship

This scholarship is presented to four outstanding students: MARILYN GILFOY, FREDERICK BRYDEN, LEO POLA and VIVIAN MYERS.

Miss Gilfoy will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Mr. Bryden will attend Curry College.

Mr. Pola will attend Cornell University.

Miss Myers will attend Cape Cod Community College.

### Sandwich Women's Club Mary Howland Wing Scholarship

Presented to a worthy student by the Sandwich Women's Club: ROBIN VANCE.

### Hanna B. Belcher Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to a deserving member of the Senior Class: STEPHEN GALLANT.

Mr. Gallant will attend Cape Cod Community College.

### The Chamberlain Scholarship

This scholarship is presented to: JOSEPHINE RUSSELL.

Miss Russell will attend the University of Massachusetts.

### John F. Clayton Scholarship

Presented to a worthy student: ROBERT WELCH.

Mr. Welch will attend Cape Cod Community College.

### Sandwich Men's Club Scholarship

Presented to a worthy student: GERARD MacDONALD.

Mr. MacDonald will attend St. Michaels College.

### Mary Baker Scholarship

This scholarship is presented to five worthy students: NELDA HOXIE, WILLIAM TYBACK, DAVID PERSSON, FRANK LIMOUZE and JOHN AHONEN.

Miss Hoxie will attend Northeastern University.

Mr. Tyback will attend U.S. Merchant Marine Academy at King's Point.

Mr. Persson will attend Brown University.

Mr. Limouze will attend Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

Mr. Ahonen will attend the University of Massachusetts.



**The John Forni Scholarship**

Presented to an outstanding citizen of the school community: DAVID CRANE.

Mr. Crane will attend Massachusetts Maritime Academy.

**Harold Irving Smith Scholarship**

Given by his daughter, Mrs. Albert Keith, to two outstanding students in the field of Art and/or Music: RAYMOND SCOVILL and NANCY WHITE.

Mr. Scovill will attend Lowell State College.

Miss White will attend Joffrey School of Dance.

**Lion's Club Scholarship**

Presented to two deserving Seniors: MARILYN GILFOY and WILLIAM WARD.

Mr. Ward will attend Marietta College.

**Barnstable Comedy Club Scholarship**

Presented to: TERRY DANIELS.

**Wareham B.P.O.E. 1548 Elks Club, East Wareham**

Presented by Benevolent, Protective Order of Elks, Wareham, to a Sandwich High School student who is furthering his education: TERRANCE O'CONNELL.

**National Honor Society Scholarship**

Presented to a deserving student: VICKY TITCOMB.

**Sandwich Junior Women's Club Scholarship**

The Sandwich Junior Women's Club Scholarship is granted to a member of the graduating class requesting financial assistance in order to continue his or her education as a full time student in an accepted or recognized institution: GEOFFREY POPE.

Mr. Pope will attend Cape Cod Community College.

**Future Teachers of America Scholarship**

Presented by the Sandwich High School Future Teachers of America and awarded to: BARBARA DOANE.

Miss Doane will attend Barrington College.

**Sandwich High School Music Scholarship**

Awarded to a deserving student who has contributed to the music program at Sandwich High School and shows fine potential for further education. We are proud to announce the recipient: DAVID THOMAS.

**The Muriel S. Torrey Award for Community Service**

A memorial award for good citizenship; presented by the Church Circle of The First Church of Christ to: CHRIS UGGERHOLT.



**Sandwich Police Association Award**

Presented for good citizenship to an outstanding member of the Senior class: ROBERT WHITE.

**D.A.R. American History Medal**

Awarded for proficiency in Science: FRANK LIMOUZE.

**Bausch and Lomb Science Award**

Awarded for proficiency in Science: FRANK LIMOUZE.

**D.A.R. Good Citizen Award**

Presented to: TERRY DANIELS.

**Balfour Key****National Merit Semifinalist Award**

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation has awarded a "Letter of Commendation" to another one of our seniors. This Letter signifies "High Performance" on the 1971 National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test — an honor shared with two percent of the graduating secondary school seniors in the nation. The Letter of Commendation is awarded to: RAYMOND SCOVILL.

**National Merit Finalist Award**

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation has awarded a "Certificate of Merit" to one of our seniors. This Certificate signifies "Finalist Standing" — an honor shared with one half of one percent of the graduating secondary school seniors in the nation. The Certificate of Merit is awarded to: Leo Pola.

**Betty Crocker State Award**

Each year the General Mills Corporation conducts the Betty Crocker Search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow. This year one of our senior girls reached finalist standing in the State of Massachusetts. This year our American Homemaker of Tomorrow Award is presented to: VICKY TITCOMB.

**Scholarship From University of New Hampshire**

MARY ANN ALBERTS

**Scholarship From University of Massachusetts**

TERRY DANIELS

**Scholarship From Barrington College**

BARBARA DOANE

**Scholarship From Wartburg College**

VICKY TITCOMB

**Scholarship From Cornell University**

LEO POLA

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On the cover:

THORNTON W. BURGESS

1874 - 1974

The Briar Patch Birthday Cake on the cover was enjoyed by the 635 Sandwich Elementary School children at the Thornton W. Burgess Birthday Party on January 14, 1974.

Sandwich proudly honors Thornton W. Burgess on the occasion of the 100th Anniversary of his birth in Sandwich.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
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## SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

**Listed below are the scheduled meetings  
of Town Organizations**

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Appeal Board	7:30 P.M. — Town Hall
2nd and 4th Tuesday — (If Hearing scheduled)	
Board of Health	7:30 P.M. — Town Hall
1st Tuesday each Month	
Board of Selectmen	10 A.M. — Town Hall
Each Monday	
Conservation Commission	7:30 P.M. — Town Hall
4th Monday each Month	
Fire Engineers	7:30 P.M. — Fire Station
2nd Monday each Month	
Historical District Commission	8:00 P.M. — Town Hall
2nd Monday each Month	
Planning Board	7:30 P.M. — Town Hall
1st and 3rd Wednesday each Month	
School Committee	Conf. Room at H. T. Wing School
4th Wednesday each Month	7:30 P.M.

When planning a special meeting, the above schedule should be consulted to avoid confusion.

# Town Officers for 1973

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## ELECTED OFFICIALS

Term Expires

### SELECTMEN

John Louis Roberti	1974
Carlo A. Pola	1975
Carl H. Hiler, Chairman	1976

### ASSESSORS

John Louis Roberti, Chairman	1974
Carlo A. Pola	1975
Carl H. Hiler	1976

### TOWN CLERK, TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR

Channing E. Hoxie	1974
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### HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Clarence R. VanBuskirk	1976
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### TREE WARDEN

William J. Ellis	1976
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### MODERATOR

William A. Bullock	1976
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### CONSTABLES

George E. Elvander	1974
Clyde S. Gill	1975
Haskell E. Hawkins	1976

### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Roland F. DeConto, Chairman	1974
Frank E. Colombo, Jr., Secretary (resigned 12/19/73)	1974
Roberta Leydon	1975
Stanley A. Torrey	1975
William R. Hendy, Jr.	1976
David P. Persson	1976

## Term Expires

**BOARD OF HEALTH**

Robert H. Ellis, Chairman	1974
Allen E. Peterson	1975
Robert D. McKillop	1976

**TRUSTEES OF THE SANDWICH LIBRARY**

Howard J. Carlson	1974
Clara N. Field	1974
Russell A. Scully	1974
Burton J. Jones, Chairman	1975
Beryl A. O'Connell	1975
William A. Warren	1975
Katherine Bourne	1976
Robert M. Felton	1976
Dorothy A. Fisher, Secretary	1976

**TRUSTEES OF WESTON MEMORIAL FUND**

Howard J. Carlson, Secretary and Treasurer	1974
John H. Field	1975
David C. Hopkins	1976

**TRUSTEES CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING**

Allen R. Carpenter	1974
Henry Buckley	1974
Charles Wennerstrom	1975
Carl H. Hiler, Chairman Board of Selectmen	
Clarence R. VanBuskirk, Chairman	1976
Carl E. Bazzinotti	1976

**PLANNING BOARD**

Miriam R. Wilharm (resigned 7/11/73)	1974
Allan W. Jones	1974
Chester C. Cross, Chairman	1975
John A. Coe	1976
William G. Bryden	1977
David W. Allen	1978

**SANDWICH HOUSING AUTHORITY**

Lester E. Geary, Secretary (State Appointment)	1974
Elizabeth L. Currier, Treasurer	1975
Edgar E. Caron, Chairman	1976
Norman E. Welch, Vice Chairman	1977
Allen R. Carpenter, Assistant Treasurer	1978

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEMBER**

Edgar E. Caron	1976
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## APPOINTED OFFICIALS

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Term Expires

### TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Nancy J. Laffoon	1974
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### TOWN COUNSEL

Alan A. Green	1974
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### TOWN ENGINEER

William C. Taylor	1974
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### CLERK FOR ASSESSORS

Barbara L. Kiley	1974
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### VETERANS' AGENT, DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES AND VETERANS' BURIAL AGENT

Charles H. Cross	1974
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### VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER

Elizabeth L. Currier	1974
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### PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Frances M. Silva, R.N.	1974
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### POLICE DEPARTMENT

Robert D. Whearty, Jr., Chief	James R. Spofford, Patrolman
Clyde S. Gill, Sergeant	Haskell E. Hawkins, Patrolman
George E. Elvander, Sergeant	Roger T. Davis, Patrolman
E. Bartlett McKay, Sergeant	Ronald W. Nurse, Patrolman
James R. Swift, Patrolman	Michael R. Walker, Patrolman
Richard A. Kestenbaum, Patrolman	Bruce A. Jillson, Patrolman
James Stewart, Jr., Patrolman	Barry R. Clifford, Patrolman

### PERMANENT-INTERMITTENT PATROLMEN

Arthur L. Fairbanks (ret. 8/12/73)	Richard E. Canning, Sr.
Lester Geary (retired 12/5/73)	Chester S. Rich

### INTERMITTENT PATROLMEN

George P. Russell	David P. Canning (resigned 7/1/73)
Richard L. Anderson	William P. McBride, Jr. (res'g'd 8/11/73)
Albert E. Gooding, Jr.	Arthur Souza
John A. McArdle	Edward J. O'Donoghue
James M. Foley	



Term Expires

**POLICE LIMITED SERVICE**

Russell W. Anderson	Dale W. Gillespie
Douglas J. Arnold	William E. Duncan
Theodore S. Briones	Douglas M. Kalweit
Henry J. Buckley	Ralph A. Michniewicz, Jr.
William A. Calvert	Robert Murphy
John A. Coe	David P. Persson
Edward J. Duarte	Taisto E. Ranta
Walter T. Fagnant	Edmund V. Serodio
George Fernandes	Francis G. Silva
Floyd J. Folmsbee	Cornelius W. Sullivan
Frederick Hodges	Daniel F. Sullivan

**WIRE INSPECTOR**

Edgar E. Caron	1974
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**BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Sven E. Hanson	1974
Lester E. Geary, Deputy	1974

**SANITARY INSPECTOR**  
**BOARD OF HEALTH AGENT**  
**PLUMBING INSPECTOR**

Edward F. Montague, Jr. (app. by Board of Health)	1974
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**GAS INSPECTOR**

Herbert A. Hamlen	1974
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**SHELLFISH CONSTABLE**

Eugene H. Morrow	1976
Francis G. Silva, Deputy	

**PARK DEPARTMENT**

Raymond L. Thayer, Foreman	1974
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**FIRE ENGINEERS**

W. Gordon Swan, Clerk	Eugene H. Morrow
Ferdinand L. Alvezi, Chief Engineer	William W. Ward
William Troyanos (resigned)	Thomas A. Cosgrove,
George H. Crawford	(resigned 5/15/73)

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Ferdinand L. Alvezi, Chief	1974
Richard Atwood, Deputy Chief (resigned 8/20/73)	
Vincent Harrington, Fireman	1974

	Term Expires
Walter Cahoon, Fireman	1974
Paul Boido, Fireman (resigned 8/20/73)	1974
William Costa, Fireman	1974
Gordon Wallace, Fireman	1974
Keith Lehmann, Fireman	1974
Dennis Newman, Fireman	1974
Herbert Stewart, Fireman	1974
Herbert R. Polson, Fireman	1974
Christopher A. Uggerholt, Fireman	1974
David P. Canning, Fireman	1974
Robert J. George, Fireman	1974
Thomas A. Manley, Fireman	1974
Peter Beauchemin, Permanent Callman	

### FOREST WARDEN

Ferdinand L. Alvezi	1974
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### DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS

(Appointed by Forest Warden)

Richard A. Atwood	Robert L. White
Foster Willoughby	Gerald Caron
Herbert Weaver	Richard Currier
Richard E. Canning, Jr.	Peter Beauchemin
John D. White	Clyde Tripp
W. Gordon Swan	

### INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND MEAT

(Appointed by Board of Health)

Hilda E. Whitmore	1974
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### INSECT PEST SUPERINTENDENT

William J. Ellis	1974
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### FINANCE COMMITTEE

J. James Hamlen, Chairman	Raymond H. Ostrander
C. Ruggles Smith	Harvey A. Magnant
Fred W. Lehmann	

### REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Ida D. O'Brien	1974
Niilo R. Ahonen	1975
Edward F. Montague, Jr.	1976

## Term Expires

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

Meredith W. Bourne, Secretary	1974
John M. Mendonza	1974
J. Albert Torrey, Chairman	1975
Daniel E. Potter	1975
Bernard C. DiPietro	1976
James J. George	1976
Peter Meinl	1976

**DOG AND CONSERVATION OFFICER**

Francis G. Silva	1974
Haskell E. Hawkins, Deputy	1974

**APPEAL BOARD**

Roland F. DeConto	1974
Edward W. Osgood, Jr.	1974
Albert Roberti, Chairman	1975
Charles C. Fears	1975
John A. Harvey	1976
Associate Members:	
Peter J. Closson	1974
Ann C. Sullivan	1976

**MARINA COMMITTEE**

Rev. William Morris, Chairman	Howard J. Carlson
John H. Field	Charles C. Russell
Benjamin H. Morrow	

**HARBOR MASTER**

Edwin T. Moffitt, Harbor Master	1974
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**SANDWICH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**

Winthrop Davis, Chairman	1974
Seth S. Pope	1974
Elisabeth T. Durham	1975
John H. Field	1976
George C. Campbell	1976
Alternate Members:	
James O. Collins	1974
Douglas P. Amidon	1975

**SANDWICH HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Daniel L. Cullity	1974
C. Ruggles Smith	1974

	Term Expires
Susan Andrews	1975
David F. Wright, Secretary	1975
Ross A. Vander Pyl	1975
Russell A. Lovell, Jr., Chairman	1976
Barbara L. Gill	1976

#### **SANDWICH HISTORIC DISTRICT STUDY COMMITTEE**

Donald Bourne, Chairman	William N. Chase
Elizabeth T. Durham	Zigmund Gozdz
Earle L. Kempton	Nina B. Sutton
Caesar A. Alvezi	

#### **ADVISORY LANDSCAPE COUNCIL**

Natalie Norris, President	1975
Wilfred Graves, Vice President	1975
Wallace Terhune, Treasurer	1975
Barbara Gill, Secretary	1975
Caryll Gates, Correspondence Secretary	1975

#### **CAPE COD PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

Carl H. Hiler	1974
J. Louis Roberti	1974

#### **SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Walter T. Fagnant	William R. Hendy, Jr.
Stanley A. Torrey	Dorothy Smith
Frank C. Bess	

#### **POLICE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE**

William G. Bryden, Chairman	Richard V. Anthony
Robert D. Whearty, Jr.	Stanley Lehner
Arthur Souza	

#### **FIRE STATION STUDY COMMITTEE**

W. Gordon Swan	Ferdinand L. Alvezi
Stanley H. Lehner	Raymond Ostrander
John M. Mendonza	

#### **RECREATION COMMITTEE**

Lydia Borjeson	James A. Greenwood
Robert C. Messier	Raymond B. Hart
Roberta F. Leydon	Robert Walsh
Ann C. Palmer (resigned)	Patricia L. McArdle
Silvio Tedeschi, Director (app. by Recreation Committee)	



## Term Expires

**COUNCIL ON AGING**

Audrey Wetherall	1974
Irene M. Beers, Secretary	1974
Caesar A. Alvezi	1974
Albert R. Morse	1975
Claire C. Magnant, Chairman	1975
William E. Duncan	1975
Leola H. Fraser, Treasurer	1976
Irving H. Vickers	1976

**THORNTON W. BURGESS CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Nancy E. Titcomb, Chairman	Rosanna Cullity
Elizabeth G. Phillips, Treasurer	W. Gordon Swan
Russell A. Lovell, Jr.	

**CIVIL DEFENSE**

W. Gordon Swan, Director	1974
C. Bernard Jones, Deputy Director	1974
Ellis N. Palmer, Jr., Deputy Director	1974

## Report of the Board of Selectmen

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### To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

The transition from a calendar year to a new fiscal year period as now required by State Law has created much confusion. It is feared that at least a certain amount of confusion and misunderstanding will be experienced until we have had a reasonable period of time to make all of the adjustments that will be required.

When on January 1, 1973 the new fiscal year law went into effect it was necessary for the cities and towns in the Commonwealth to establish eighteen months estimates on receipts and disbursements which would terminate on June 30, 1974. In projecting cost and financial requirements under an existing unstable economic situation required, at best, serious consideration. The 1973 Town Meetings apparently appreciating the existing conditions, accepted the estimates and projections and as of the time of this report, the 18 month calculations are working out satisfactory.

However, the make up of the 1973 Town Report will be found to differ from previous Annual Town Reports since the existing 18 months financial records will not be completed until June 30, 1974 and, therefore, are not printed in the 1973 Report.

The regular annual activities were carried on as usual during the year 1973. The Memorial Day exercises were conducted honoring the memories of those who were in the armed forces of our country. The Fourth of July celebration again covered a full day of activities climaxed by an aerial fireworks display. The Town's evening activities for the 4th, with the band concert, boat carnival and fireworks, attract many people from on and off the Cape with very favorable comments and reactions from all.

The many people who visit Sandwich during the season have the privilege and enjoyment of our many historical attractions. The Hoxie House and Dexter Grist Mill, which were restored and operated by the Town, have amply proved

their historic value. The ducks who have made their home on Shawme Pond in the vicinity of the Grist Mill have given much pleasure to both the young and elderly and the ducks certainly show appreciation to the attention and food given them by the visitors.

The Glass Museum, the Yesteryear Doll Museum, the Heritage Plantation, the Nye House and the Wing Fort House have all had a part in adding to the pleasure and enjoyment of our visitors.

Another section of Quaker Meeting House Road was contracted for through the State Department of Public Works under Chapter 90 construction. The work was started late in the season, but will be continued and is expected to be completed in the late spring or early summer. Another section, it is expected, will reach the bid stage during 1974 with possible construction later in the year.

The new Police Station was completed and occupied by July 1st. All reports indicate that the arrangement and facilities have proven most satisfactory and the Department is happy to have accommodations to handle their ever expanding requirements.

During 1973 the Town, as well as individuals, experienced considerable damage through vandalism. The evidence indicated that the acts were less than willful destruction by the person or persons involved. The Town Comfort Stations at the beaches and Town Hall Square have been continually subject to damages. Possibly the most disturbing problem is our street signs. It has been a problem to replace street signs as fast as they are removed or damaged. It is hard to understand how any fun or pleasure is derived by the individuals who are involved in such willful destruction of property.

The Board of Selectmen are still involved in what seems continuing problems covering solid waste and sewage disposal. So many agencies have become involved in these projects that it seems the solutions become more and more complicated with the answers not visible at the present. They are both serious projects and somewhere a satisfactory answer is going to have to be found.

With tight money and high interest rates the construction industry has been affected. Sandwich during 1973 did not feel the reaction as greatly as some other areas have. The Building Inspector's report shows that there were more



permits in 1973 than in 1972 with only a few less dwellings and an increase in the estimated cost of the construction.

There seems to be a continuing misunderstanding regarding the status of roads in new subdivisions. When a subdivision plan, including the roads, is approved by the Planning Board, their approval indicates that the plan conforms with the Town subdivision rules and regulations. Then, when the roads in the subdivision are built, the Planning Board requests their Engineer to inspect the construction. If the construction, in the opinion of the Engineer, is satisfactory he approves the road or roads to the Planning Board so that the lots in the subdivision can be released for development. The Engineer's approval or acceptance of the road or roads for the Planning Board in no way changes the status of the private roads. Private roads do not change or become Town Ways until they have been presented to a Town Meeting and the Meeting has voted to accept them as Town Ways. It is too bad that this procedure is not better explained or understood because it has created many problems.

With the continued growth of our population and the large expansion of construction covering increasing areas, it is to be realized and expected that to extend and expand the normal services required and expected, a realistic approach will be necessary to meet these services. It cannot be expected that the men, equipment and funds which were required to extend services by the many departments in the Town to a population of 2500 located in a reasonably confined area, can meet the present requirement for the expanded population and area without an increase in all categories. We have been experiencing it over the years and each year it becomes more pronounced. The Annual Reports being submitted by the different departments are reflecting this continuing trend.

The physical facilities to meet the ever increasing needs or our expanding volume of activities is proving more and more inadequate. All departments are experiencing increased volume and, as a result, increased facilities are needed and required. Through the years the Town has met the needs of the Fire Department, the Police Department, the Highway Department and the School. These departments now have facilities and equipment to more efficiently serve the public and contend with the present day needs. With the completion of the school construction programs which have



been approved, the school needs will meet the expanded requirements.

The many other departments who are involved in Town administration and services have arrived at a time when it will be necessary for the Town to give consideration to their needs as to space and facilities. With the increase in services required to meet an increasing demand, the needs of our administrative branch of government will shortly have to be reviewed.

Sandwich has been approved through the application of the Board of Selectmen for Flood Insurance coverage by the Federal agency. The property owners who are located in areas affected can obtain through their insurance agent this additional coverage at a very reasonable premium.

One important policy decision was established by the Board during the past year. After years of confusion and misunderstanding a definite policy was established covering the vacation time allowed to all Town of Sandwich employees. After reviewing many town policies which had been established by Board of Selectmen and Personnel Boards in other towns, a schedule was agreed upon which seems fair and equitable to all.

The Board has appreciated working with and for the people of Sandwich during the year and trust that the future will be a satisfactory experience for all. We also wish to express our appreciation to the elected and appointed officials with whom we have worked during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL H. HILER, Chairman  
JOHN LOUIS ROBERTI  
CARLO A. POLA

Board of Selectmen

## Assessors' Report

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### To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

The increase in the Town's development was again reflected in our tax base which increased as of January 1, 1973 by about ten million dollars. We are expecting as of January 1, 1974 that the tax base will again substantially increase. With the fiscal year change-over under the existing State law, the valuation established as of January 1, 1974 will be the tax base which will carry over for three tax periods; spring of 1974, fall of 1974 and spring of 1975. In the future there will be two tax periods — one in May and one in November each year. This is a procedure which might cause some confusion but, no doubt, will be accepted more readily with experience.

In 1973, the General Court and the Governor signed a bill granting the cities and the towns the money legally due them as reimbursement for State-owned land. This money was certified to the cities and towns on a special Cherry Sheet supplement so the Assessors were permitted to use the money in computing the 1973-1974 tax rate. The tax rate was as a result reduced to \$20. for the year 1973 with the projected rate of \$10. for the first six months of 1974. This part of the 1974 tax rate will, however, be subject to adjustment reflecting the new tax base to be established as of January 1, 1974.

The money legally due the cities and towns for State-owned land for 1974 was passed by both branches of the Legislature by a strong vote in the closing days of the 1973 Legislature. However, for some unknown reason, the Governor line vetoed the items after the prorogued. The Governor called the legislature back in session two days later, but, since he had line vetoed the money during the time they were out of session, there was no way they could act on the bill to override his veto.

We trust there will be an opportunity for the legislature to act on the monies due for 1974 at sometime early in this

legislative session; feeling that there is strong enough support for the money due the Towns, that if it is passed and again vetoed they will be able to vote to override the Governor's veto. We are confused as to why the Governor is so strong in avoiding his legal responsibility in making available funds to the cities and towns which, by law, is due.

At the time of writing this report it is too early to make predictions or comments on what can be expected for the tax rate for the new fiscal period starting July 1, 1974 through June 30, 1975. We will have to be guided by the Cherry Sheet and the results of Town Meeting action before the needed information is available.

Through 1973 we continued to observe the increase in sales prices of real estate transfers. While we are still maintaining our revaluation formula established for 1969, the assessed value represents an equal valuation to all property owners even if it does not reflect a fair market value. We are hopeful that the near future will show an indication of a stability of sales values so that a time consideration can be given to an up-to-date revaluation.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN LOUIS ROBERTI, Chairman

CARL H. HILER

CARLO A. POLA

Board of Assessors

# ASSESSORS' REPORT — VALUATION COMPARISON

	1971	1972	1973
Value Real Estate	\$100,537,200.00	\$105,301,100.00	\$114,879,100.00
Value of Personal Property	3,461,400.00	3,922,979.00	4,245,551.00
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	\$103,998,600.00	\$109,224,079.00	\$119,124,651.00
Dwellings Assessed	2,593	2,781	3,002
(Cabins, Cottages & Motel Units)	415	435	450
Acres of Land Assessed	16,400	16,754	16,781
Number of Horses Assessed	40	40	64
Number of Cows Assessed	1	1	3
Number of Sheep Assessed	4	4	9
Value of Buildings	75,726,100.00	80,319,060.00	87,454,200.00
Value of Land	24,811,100.00	26,529,100.00	27,419,800.00
Net Amount Raised by Taxation	1,611,931.80	2,457,791.78	3,573,739.53
Overlay	40,003.77	35,758.62	85,618.79
Rate per \$1,000 Valuation	15.50	22.50	20.00



# Report of the Town Accountant

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## To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

In accordance with Chapter 41, Section 61 of the General Laws, I herewith submit my second annual report for the year ending December 31, 1973, showing receipts from all sources, amounts of appropriations and all expenditures.

Due to the eighteen month transition to conform the Town fiscal year to that of the state, the departmental accounts will not be closed out until June 30, 1974. For this reason it was impractical to include a "Classification of Accounts" section in this report and the receipts and expenditures are only those actually received and expended in 1973.

After the Town has established itself on the new fiscal year basis, the financial section of the annual report will again be as previously presented.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks and appreciation to you, and to all the departments, for the cooperation received during this confusing transitional year.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY J. LAFFOON

Town Accountant

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## APPROPRIATIONS

January 1, 1973 — June 30, 1974

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Legislative	\$750.00
Law	20,000.00
Certification of Notes	1,000.00
Interest	31,675.00
Selectmen	35,354.00
Assessors	30,962.00
Accountant	12,532.00
Clerical — S A & A	39,670.00
Treasurer	9,348.06

Tax Collector	17,439.87
Town Clerk	5,694.42
Clerical — Treasurer, Tax Collector, etc.	36,419.34
Election and Registration	9,515.00
Fire and Police Building	6,610.00
Town Hall	10,260.00
Police	360,866.00
Communication Center	44,326.32
Fire	237,297.00
Forest Warden	2,475.00
Woods Roads	700.00
Insect Pest Control	9,400.00
Dutch Elm Control	14,250.00
Tree Warden	9,450.00
Wire Inspector	3,180.00
Building Inspector	14,615.75
Gas Inspector	3,115.00
Health and Sanitation	71,225.00
Public Health Nurse	42,314.30
Highways General	122,000.00
Finance Committee	750.00
Veterans' Services	60,000.00
School	1,831,398.00
Library	34,000.00
Miscellaneous	750.00
Clark-Haddad Memorial Building	3,360.00
Street Lights	20,000.00
Planning Board	12,234.00
Appeal Board	1,800.00
Historic District Commission	300.00
Park Department	36,827.00
Memorial Day	1,200.00
Christmas Lighting	2,500.00
Tax Title Account	15,800.00
Hydrant Rental	1,500.00
Town Reports and Warrants	8,000.00
4th of July Celebration	2,500.00
Public Entertainment	1,000.00
Town Advertising	1,000.00
Binding Town Records	500.00
Greenhead Fly Control	844.00
Recreation Committee	37,527.00
Fish and Game	400.00
Town Insurance	44,000.00
Town Clock	500.00

Cemeteries	5,500.00
Conservation Committee	17,565.00
Vocational School — Capital and Operation	74,620.15
Principal Payment — School Loan 1958	25,000.00
Principal Payment — School Loan 1963	100,000.00
Interest on Tax Loans	17,000.00
Sandwich Historical Commission	1,000.00
Engineering Department	47,294.00
Civil Defense	948.00
Town Garage	10,260.00
Shellfish Warden	1,612.00
Dog and Conservation Officer	14,865.00
Council on Aging	4,600.00
Highways — Chapter 81	7,942.00
Highways — Chapter 90	20,500.00
County Land Damages	9,840.33
Cape Cod Mental Health	1,291.00
Advisory Landscape Council	7,500.00
School Building — Portable Classrooms	61,525.00
Tennis Courts and Ballfield Repairs	14,150.00
Ryder Property Purchase	150,916.00
Ahonen, Geary and Cahoon Property Purchases	102,000.00
Swain Property Purchase	200,000.00
Ploughed Neck Culvert Repair	2,500.00
Groin Construction (Jetties)	26,500.00
Mount Hope Cemetery Wall	8,500.00
Police Station Generator	5,000.00
Brush Breaker — Tanker Conversion	8,500.00
Highways:	
Route 130 — Quaker Meeting House Road to Snake Pond Road	44,720.00
Water Street — Route 130, Morse Road to Shawme	6,174.00
Jones Lane — Route 6A to Culvert	3,542.00
Kiah's Way — Section of Mill Road	7,000.00
Atkins Road — (Connection Section)	2,034.00
Sidewalk Repairs — section of Main Street & School Street	7,500.00
Jarves Street — Curb and Paving	3,535.00
Shawme Road	3,000.00
Mill Road	2,500.00
Jones Lane — Culvert	2,000.00
Sandwich Fire Station Building Study Committee	1,000.00
Bourne Shellfish Program	1,000.00



Engineering Study — Town Neck	25,000.00
Chipman Road Layout	5.00
Crowell Road Layout	5.00
Kiah's Way Layout	5.00
Herring Road Layout	5.00
Lakewood Drive Layout	5.00
Moody Drive Layout	5.00
Freedom and Friendly Roads Layout	5.00
Highway Department Pickup Truck	3,000.00
Police Officers' Pay Adjustment — Comm. Center	2,500.00
Removal of Dead Elms	5,000.00
Ice Hockey Program	3,000.00
Dog Kennel Construction	12,800.00
Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee	1,500.00
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	\$4,404,902.54

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#### FROM AVAILABLE FUNDS

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Reserve Fund — Overlay Surplus	\$50,000.00
Restoration Income — 1972	16,566.45
Marina Income — 1972	11,177.83
Library State Reimbursement — 1972	1,964.33
Dog Fund — 1972	1,643.91
Repairs to Tennis Court — Sch. Portable Classroom	10,000.00
Highways — Chapter 81 — Surplus Revenue	21,841.00
Peebles Land Purchase — Surplus Revenue	30,000.00
Library Remodeling — Revenue Sharing	5,450.00
Police Station — Revenue Sharing	100,000.00
Police Cruisers — Revenue Sharing	21,000.00
Highway Vacuum Sweeper — Revenue Sharing	30,000.00
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	\$299,643.52

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#### AUTHORIZATION TO BORROW

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Purchase of Ryder Property	\$1,313,000.00
New School Construction	11,825,000.00
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	\$13,138,000.00



## DISBURSEMENTS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Account	Amount
Legislative	\$388.74
Law	16,211.07
Certification of Notes	55.00
Finance Committee	290.00
Selectmen	23,259.29
Assessors	13,673.07
Town Accountant	8,060.00
Clerical — Selectmen, Assessors & Town Accountant	24,181.05
Treasurer	5,933.91
Tax Collector	8,653.90
Town Clerk	3,198.58
Clerical — Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk	21,641.74
Group Insurance	44,835.01
Election and Registration	5,016.91
Fire and Police Building	5,953.10
Town Garage	3,040.04
Town Hall	5,755.45
Police Department	230,810.43
Communications Center	30,296.70
Fire Department	153,132.99
Forest Warden	556.77
Insect Pest Control	4,901.49
Dutch Elm Control	12,339.52
Tree Warden	7,995.96
Wire Inspector	2,159.50
Building Inspector	9,888.00
Woods Roads	688.00
Gas Inspector	1,533.00
Dog and Conservation Officer	9,210.39
Health and Sanitation	38,053.06
Public Health Nurse	23,528.92
Highways General	51,156.39
Highways — Chapter 81	29,782.00
Highways — Chapter 90 — Cotuit Road	500.00
Highways — Chapter 90 — Quaker Meeting Hse. Rd.	7,261.50
Spring Hill Road Drainage	2,623.08
Plank Walk Repairs	12.74
Jones Lane Culvert	675.00
Sidewalk Repairs	450.00
Falmouth Road — Route 130	28,850.12
Phillips Road	2,039.24

Route 130 — Shawme to Morse Road	4,718.55
Jones Lane	3,122.42
Kiah's Way	4,541.07
Veterans' Services	45,051.82
School	1,118,265.17
School Lunch	53,971.84
School Athletic Fund	943.27
School — Public Law 874	14,824.05
Title I Project — P.L. 8910	10,246.46
Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School District	52,234.10
School — Title II — P.L. 8910	108.48
Library	45,917.01
Insurance Claims	8,577.14
Town Beaches and Parks	22,472.22
Engineering Department	30,175.06
Clark-Haddad Memorial Building	1,178.83
East Boat Basin Marina	11,806.00
Street Lights	12,478.55
Civil Defense	383.46
Planning Board	8,546.46
Appeal Board	1,445.37
Conservation Commission	4,921.37
Conservation Commission — Land Purchase	400.00
Historic District Commission	115.21
Sandwich Historical Commission	890.14
Hoxie House and Grist Mill Maintenance and Operation	19,790.09
Summer Recreation	27,202.54
Memorial Day	592.97
Public Entertainment	535.00
Town Advertising	577.74
Care of Town Clock	500.00
Christmas Lighting	1,124.80
Binding Town Records	355.75
Tax Title and Foreclosure Account	12,776.11
Propagation of Shellfish	785.00
Propagation of Fish and Game	35.40
Town Insurance Account	22,735.20
Directional and Street Signs	858.71
Fourth of July Celebration	2,500.00
Dog Kennel	4,623.55
Sandwich Fire Station Study Committee	1,000.00
Forestdale Fire Station Building Committee	1,466.12
Ahonen-Geary-Cahoon Property Purchase	85,100.00

School Building Committee	215,923.08
School — Portable Classrooms	32,481.76
Printing Town Reports and Warrants	4,500.00
Police Station Building Committee	213,008.46
Green Head Fly Control	422.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00
Mt. Hope Cemetery Wall	8,005.77
Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee	43.10
Bourne Shellfish Program	1,000.00
Landscape Advisory Committee	3,576.00
Repairs — Athletic Field and Tennis Courts	24,150.00
Police Cruisers	9,092.00
Engineering Study — Sandwich Beach Shores	17,073.53
County Land Damages	9,840.33
Brush-Breaker Tanker Conversion	5,500.00
Aerial Spray	5,200.00
Police Station Generator Purchase	5,000.00
Aerial Ladder Truck Purchase	11,400.00
Cemeteries	3,510.56
Peebles Property Purchase	60,000.00
Debt Payments	875,000.00
Interest — Temporary Loans	13,856.88
Interest — School Loans	21,675.00
Council on Aging	4,090.06
Mental Health Association	645.51

## Refunds:

1971 Excise Taxes	\$68.00	
1972 Excise Taxes	2,254.32	
1973 Excise Taxes	1,857.31	
1972 Personal Property Taxes	42.75	
1973 Personal Property Taxes	99.00	
1972 Real Estate Taxes	698.75	
1973 Real Estate Taxes	3,489.66	
Interest on Taxes	7.57	
Tax Collector Fees	1.00	
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		8,518.36

Federal Tax Withholdings	224,948.82
State Tax Withholdings	58,453.29
Group Insurance Withholdings	24,429.88
Teachers Disability Insurance Withholdings	351.26
Teachers Retirement Withholdings	30,610.22
Teachers Annuity Withholdings	4,945.88
Teachers Association Dues Withholdings	3,497.00
County Retirement Withholdings	29,618.67



Police — Special Detail	13,371.00
Sale of Dogs	15.00
Proceeds Dog Licenses	3,047.20
Proceeds Sporting Licenses	4,651.00
Town Clerk's Fees	2,426.85
Tax Collector's Fees	841.00
Barnstable County Retirement	65,491.59
State Parks and Reservations	13,576.96
Veterans District Assessment	2,693.62
Air Pollution	91.58
Mosquito Control	13,500.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	560.25
Mary Baker Scholarship Fund	900.00
Samuel M. Beale, Jr. Fund	187.98
Freeman Nursing Fund	54.70
Raymond Hamblin Boy Scout Fund	170.00
Belcher Scholarship Fund	100.00
Eaton Fund	210.17
Van Buskirk Scholarship Fund	4,000.00
To Establish Perpetual Care Accounts:	
Benoit PC Fund	200.00
Winsor PC Fund	250.00
Fitz-Harlow PC Fund	240.00
State Sales Tax Collections	11.16
County Tax	101,542.06
Health Insurance	430.06
Sandwich Water District Collections	207,100.38
North Sagamore Water District	5,997.21
Marblehead Veteran Retirement Allowance	1,177.82
Somerville Retirement Allowance	2,375.49
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	\$4,855,065.19

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**RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING**  
**December 31, 1973**

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**Taxes:**

Prior Years	\$96,412.40
Current:	
Personal	78,715.02
Real	2,114,366.49
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	\$2,289,493.91



## Motor Vehicle and Trailer:

## Excise Taxes:

Prior Years

\$99,812.36

Current

148,346.68

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 248,159.04

Machinery Excise

123.50

Interest on Taxes

5,467.68

Police — Special Detail

13,371.00

Federal Tax Withholdings

217,379.90

State Tax Withholdings

58,453.29

Group Insurance Withholdings

22,285.84

Teachers' Disability Insurance

351.26

Teachers' Annuity Withholdings

4,945.88

Teachers' Retirement Withholdings

34,553.22

County Retirement Withholdings

33,328.35

Teachers' Association Dues

3,497.00

Proceeds Dog Licenses

3,047.20

Proceeds Sporting Licenses

4,651.00

Town Clerk's Fees

2,426.85

Tax Collector's Fees

842.00

1972 Dog Fund

1,643.91

## State:

Health Insurance

\$110.38

Veterans Services

9,545.10

Bureau Tax Reimbursements

431.00

Sandy Neck Purchase

32,250.00

Old Harbor Purchase

46,625.00

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 88,961.48

## State Aid to Highways:

Chapter 81

\$21,623.00

Chapter 90

3,630.75

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 25,253.75

## County Aid to Highways:

Chapter 90

1,590.00

## Federal Grants:

Federal Safety (Breathalyzer)

\$975.00

Medicare Reimbursements

2,783.00

School — Public Law 874

17,296.40

School — Title I Program

9,426.00

School — Title II Program

1,053.00

Revenue Sharing

117,667.00

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 149,200.40

## School Lunch Receipts:

School	\$30,998.26	
State	21,603.59	
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		52,601.85

## School Athletic Fund

943.00

## Road Machinery Account

1,044.87

## State Grants:

School Construction	\$26,466.36	
State Parks	832.54	
Loss of Taxes	792,117.11	
Lottery	5,179.10	
Library Aid	1,964.63	
Census Reimbursement	1,025.25	
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		827,584.99

## Division of Tuition:

School Transportation	\$27,022.52	
Vocational Education Outside		
School Transportation	6,181.00	
School Aid — Chapters 69, 70, 71	89,675.29	
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		122,878.81

## Bourne School Transportation

1,380.00

## Selectmen's Licenses and Permits:

Amusement	\$50.00	
Sunday Entertainment	61.00	
Common Victualers	105.00	
Liquor	6,327.00	
Junk Dealers	25.00	
Auto Dealer	25.00	
Lodging House	2.00	
Public Weighers	3.00	
Auctioneers	2.00	
Taxi Cab	1.00	
Shellfish	180.00	
Fuel Storage	231.00	
Raffle and Bazaar	70.00	
Pool Table	8.00	
Motor Vehicle License (Closed Door)	10.00	
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		7,100.00

Refund — Tax Title Foreclosure	\$36.28
Refund — Library	46.22
Refund — School Department	1,421.32
Refund — Treasurer	191.53
Refund — Restoration M&O	1,144.74

Refund — Overpayment 1973	
Real Estate Tax	350.00
Refund — Tax Collector	15.24
Refund — Appeals	33.44
Refund — Group Insurance	1.61
Refund — Temporary Loan Interest	669.27
Sandwich Water District Collections	206,986.82
No. Sagamore Water Dist. Collections	5,997.21
Ambulance Service	825.00
Contributions — Sandwich Hist. Comm.	21.57
Sale of Abandoned Property	1.00
Tailings	50.49
Machinery Basis	9.63
Court Fines	2,333.00
Care of Dogs	180.00
Prepaid Advertising	1,631.58
Trailer Coach Park	4,626.00
Town Maps	213.00
Sub-Division Regulations	23.00
Zoning Booklets	119.50
Nursing Fees	4,836.84
Building Permits	4,359.00
Plumbing Permits	4,404.00
Wire Inspector's Fees	1,635.00
Engineering — Assessors Maps	394.45
Certificates of Municipal Liens	990.00
Sale of Dogs	15.00
Board of Health	1,475.00
Telephone Booth Income	149.34
Street and Voting Lists	36.00
Reimbursements—	
Federal Income Tax Account	3,436.73
Reimbursement — Planning Board	7.01
Reimbursement — Court Payment	83.09
Reimbursement — Park Department	48.00
Reimbursement — Fire Department	40.40
Reimbursement — Certification of Notes	19.00
Reimbursement — Sandwich Hist. Comm.	16.50
Reimbursement — Veterans Services	397.00
Reimbursement — Street Signs	391.26
Reimbursement — Police	375.81
Reimbursement — Advisory Landscape	65.00
Dog Officer Fees	230.00
Police — Photostatic Copies	553.00
Police — Liquor ID's	18.00

Police — Fire Arms — Permits	1,210.00	
Police — Mileage Reimbursement	13.00	
Contractor Permits for Dump Use	130.00	
Beach Parking Fees	449.00	
Lease — Town Land	100.00	
Sales Tax Collection	11.16	
Business Certificates	14.00	
Concrete Pipe Anti-Trust	16.34	
Establish VanBuskirk Scholarship Fund	4,000.00	
Establish Benoit Perpetual Care Fund	200.00	
Establish Winsor Perpetual Care Fund	250.00	
Restoration Income	16,505.85	
Gift in Lieu of Taxes	700.00	
Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	800,000.00	
Insurance Claims	8,539.43	
Tax Title Redemption	603.04	
Custodial Fees	273.57	
Library Fines	751.65	
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		1,084,669.92

## Trust Fund Income:

Library	\$15,570.91	
Eaton Fund	254.07	
Hamblin Boy Scout Fund	170.00	
Samuel Beale, Jr. Fund	223.73	
Hannah B. Belcher Fund	100.00	
Baker Scholarship Fund	1,100.00	
Freeman Nursing Fund	54.70	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	882.81	
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		18,356.22
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		\$5,325,586.12



## Treasurer's Report

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### GENERAL CASH SUMMARY

Cash Balance January 1, 1973	\$178,531.39
Receipts in 1973	6,392,266.17
Disbursements in 1973	6,059,258.30
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Cash Balance December 31, 1973	\$511,539.26
Money in Banks January 1, 1973	\$762,204.37
Interest Earned	26,755.47
Deposits	792,117.11
Withdrawals	950,000.00
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Money in Banks December 31, 1973	\$631,076.95
Cash Balance December 31, 1973	\$511,539.26
Money in Banks	631,076.95
Proceeds Revenue Sharing	139,640.74
Purchase of U. S. Gov't Treasury Bills Discounted	294,409.00
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Total Town Funds December 31, 1973	\$1,576,665.95

### 1973 TAX TITLE ACCOUNT

Balance January 1, 1973	\$5,721.54
1971 Taxes Added	6.20
1972 Taxes Added	9.00
1973 Taxes Added	2,548.00
Interests & Costs on Tax Titles	31.88
Redemptions	—426.72
Foreclosed By Land Court	—230.86
Disclaimed	—190.66
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Balance December 31, 1973	\$7,468.38

### 1973 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT TAX TITLE ACCOUNT

Balance January 1, 1973	\$ .75
1972 Taxes Added	.78
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Balance December 31, 1973	\$1.53

**1973 NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
TAX TITLE ACCOUNT**

Balance January 1, 1973	\$25.54
1972 Taxes Added	3.00
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Balance December 31, 1973	\$28.54

**TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS  
IN CUSTODY OF TOWN TREASURER  
1973**

	Bal. 1-1-73	Income 1973	With- drawals 1973	Bal. 12-31-73
<b>School Funds</b>				
Sandwich Academy	\$756.37	\$41.32		\$797.69
Alvah W. Holway	2,187.88	119.60		2,307.48
Hannah B. Belcher	2,298.73	120.77	\$100.00	2,319.50
Mary C. Baker	28,466.95	1,472.95	1,100.00	28,839.90
Sandwich Tennis Club	5,144.90	276.89		5,421.79
George R. Meigs	206.82	11.10		217.92
Elizabeth T. VanBuskirk	4,000.00	189.35		4,189.35
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	\$43,061.65	\$2,231.98	\$1,200.00	\$44,093.63
<b>Sandwich Library Funds</b>				
William Brewster	\$7,000.00	\$379.99	\$379.99	\$7,000.00
Eva M. Converse	300.00	16.41	16.41	300.00
Mary I. Freeman	3,000.00	164.30	164.30	3,000.00
Alvah W. Holway	1,000.00	54.70	54.70	1,000.00
Susan F. Hoxie	5,600.00	304.00	304.00	5,600.00
Abbie F. Nye	500.00	27.47	27.47	500.00
Caroline Crocker	50,000.00	2,722.73	2,722.73	50,000.00
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	\$67,400.00	\$3,669.60	\$3,669.60	\$67,400.00
<b>Miscellaneous Funds</b>				
Nye Monument	\$405.68	\$22.18		\$427.86
Mary I. Freeman Nursing	1,000.00	54.70	\$54.70	1,000.00
Post War Rehabilitation	234.73	12.98		247.71
Lots 451 & 452 Dillingham Ave.	2,173.34	127.29		2,300.63
Dr. Samuel M. Beale, Jr.	6,891.10	377.73		7,268.83
Raymond Hamblin	825.18	37.57	170.00	692.75
Tupper Family	763.43	41.06		804.49
Stabilization Fund	1,973.03	106.81		2,079.84
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	\$14,266.49	\$780.32	\$224.70	\$14,822.11
Grand Total	\$124,728.14	\$6,681.90	\$5,094.30	\$126,315.74

## CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

1973

	Bal. 1-1-73	Income 1973	With- drawals 1973	Bal. 12-31-73
Ida Hamblin	\$358.58	\$19.70	\$20.00	\$358.28
William H. Shepardson	155.58	8.50	10.00	154.08
Edward S. Talbot	103.10	5.68	5.00	103.78
Lueella L. Moores	103.34	5.68	5.00	104.02
Dr. D. B. Hannon	101.80	5.62	5.00	102.42
Wing & Tobey	1,305.10	71.44	100.00	1,276.54
Lucy Irons	178.93	9.77	15.00	173.70
Ida L. W. Pratt	102.10	5.63	5.00	102.73
Harriet Faunce	426.10	23.28		449.38
William Eaton	1,486.06	81.28		1,567.34
Mary F. Pope	402.34	22.01		424.35
Orinda Burpee	161.88	8.82		170.70
Allen Family	659.20	36.07		695.27
Charles L. Buckley	108.26	5.95		114.21
Charles Nye	285.40	15.60		301.00
William E. Kern	158.94	8.67		167.61
Grace W. Irwin	525.55	28.74		554.29
Fitz & Harlow	2,807.63	156.57		2,964.20
John H. Stone	409.69	22.73	25.00	407.42
Adele Sturgess	513.37	28.48	30.00	511.85
Ida M. French	310.43	17.21	20.00	307.64
Russell E. Tupper	290.52	16.08	5.00	301.60
Celia Clay	202.49	11.20		213.69
Frank W. Tobey	669.25	37.07		706.32
Annie T. Nye	489.77	26.77	20.00	496.54
Mary Malue	519.88	28.46	20.00	528.34
Benjamin R. Pollock	416.01	22.78	20.00	418.79
William F. Dennison	308.11	16.86	20.00	304.97
Benjamin G. Bartley	327.54	19.13	25.00	321.67
Skiffe Lot	515.49	27.73	25.00	518.22
Baumgartner Lot	153.71	8.23	8.00	153.94
Barbara Dow	830.64	44.67		875.31
Lester Parker	100.00	16.80	16.80	100.00
Hope Holway	310.93	17.24	15.00	313.17
A. J. Harmon	309.07	17.13	15.00	311.20
Jeremiah Daley	160.54	8.87		169.41
Iza Foster	521.17	28.03	25.00	524.20
Gibbs-Hoxie Lot	208.62	11.20	10.00	209.82
Leona Farrell	206.26	12.04	10.00	208.30
Hamlen Family	206.26	12.04	10.00	208.30
Ernest & Elizabeth VanBuskirk	310.18	16.67	10.00	316.85
Andrew & Viola DeGraw	513.64	27.63	20.00	521.27
Benoit Lot	200.00	6.23		206.23
William A. Winsor	250.00	5.57		255.57
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	\$18,683.46	\$1,025.86	\$514.80	\$19,194.52

**MT. HOPE CEMETERY  
PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS  
1973**

	Bal. 1-1-73	Income 1973	With- Div. Dep. drawals 1973	in Sav. Acct.	Bal. 12-31-73
John A. Carlson	\$181.32	\$9.87	\$20.00		\$171.19
Harriet L. Hoxie	182.05	9.92	20.00		171.97
Milton B. Kerr	90.63	5.00	20.00		75.63
Eliza A. Howard	86.54	4.78	20.00		71.32
Harriet A. Parks	182.20	9.92	20.00		172.12
Theodore L. Southack	85.92	4.74	20.00		70.66
Silsby Lot	369.75	20.25	20.00		370.00
Ebenezer Chamberlain	361.65	19.82	20.00		361.47
Annie W. Chamberlain	361.65	19.82	20.00		361.47
Charles H. Chapouil	84.66	4.68	20.00		69.34
Sears-Nye Lot	361.65	19.82	20.00		361.47
George W. Harrison	361.65	19.82	20.00		361.47
Zabad Burgess	85.25	4.99			90.24
George Crocker	86.73	5.04			91.77
Boyden Lot	84.27	4.66			88.93
Louisa B. Hobson	66.12	3.55			69.67
Caroline E. Crocker	259.69	14.22			273.91
Stimpson Lot	165.76	9.03			174.79
Mt. Hope Cemetery Corp. Savings Account	1,182.37	*120.67			1,303.04
Thomas H. Chipman	200.00	11.06		*11.06	200.00
John H. Perry	200.00	11.06		*11.06	200.00
Mary E. Fish	200.00	11.06		*11.06	200.00
Minnie & Edith Jones	200.00	11.06		*11.06	200.00
Ralph C. Rich	200.00	11.06		*11.06	200.00
Est. of Wallace Morrow, Sr.	135.58	7.41	20.00		122.99
	<u>\$5,775.44</u>	<u>\$373.31</u>	<u>\$260.00</u>	<u>\$55.30</u>	<u>\$5,833.45</u>

**FREEMAN CEMETERY FUND**

Savings Account	\$1,668.03	\$89.76	\$1,757.79
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**HOXIE HOUSE**

**Income at House**

6370 Adult Tickets @ .35	\$2,229.50
519 Minor Tickets @ .25	129.75
2406 Adult Comb. Tickets @ .35	842.10
238 Minor Comb. Tickets @ .20	47.60

**Comb. Tickets Sold at Mill**

2915 Adult Comb. Tickets @ .35	1,020.25
317 Minor Comb. Tickets @ .20	63.40
Post Cards, etc.	427.75

Total Income	\$4,760.35
Total Tickets Sold	9,533



**GRIST MILL****Income at Mill**

8187	Adult Tickets @ .50	\$4,093.50
2915	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .40	1,166.00
1001	Minor Tickets @ .25	250.25
317	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .20	63.40

**Comb. Tickets Sold at Hoxie House**

2406	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .40	962.40
238	Minor Tickets @ .20	47.60
	Sale of Corn Meal	4,723.80
	Sale of Post Cards, etc.	438.55

Total Income	<u>\$11,745.50</u>
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Total Tickets Sold	12,420
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<b>Combined Income and Tickets Sold</b>	<b>\$16,505.85</b>	<b>21,953</b>
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CHANNING E. HOXIE,  
Treasurer

## Report of the Collector of Taxes

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### 1970 EXCISE TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$110.00
Outstanding December 31, 1973	110.00

### 1971 EXCISE TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$4,514.43
Refunded	133.45
Paid After Abatement	57.48
	<hr/> \$4,705.36
Collected	\$2,871.82
Abated	1,343.92
Outstanding December 31, 1973	489.62
	<hr/> \$4,705.36

### 1972 EXCISE TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$28,113.46
Committed in 1973	96,384.26
Refunded	2,188.87
Paid After Abatement	500.64
	<hr/> \$127,187.23
Collected	\$96,940.46
Abated	26,127.48
Outstanding December 31, 1973	4,119.29
	<hr/> \$127,187.23

### 1973 EXCISE TAXES

Committed in 1973	\$217,966.26
Refunded	1,857.31
Paid After Abatement	127.33
	<hr/> \$219,950.90
Collected	\$148,346.68
Abated	43,081.07
Outstanding December 31, 1973	28,523.15
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**1971 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$4,812.07
Collected	\$4,805.87
Transferred to Tax Title	6.20
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	\$4,812.07

**1972 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$96,174.61
Refunded	444.50
Paid After Abatement	254.25
Tax Title Disclaimed	166.50
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	\$97,039.86
Refund Returned	\$350.00
Collected	88,974.88
Abated	619.50
Transferred to Tax Title	9.00
Taxes in Litigation	508.50
Outstanding December 31, 1973	6,577.98
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	\$97,039.86

**1973 REAL ESTATE**

Committed in 1973	\$2,297,710.00
Refunded	3,489.66
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	\$2,301,199.66
Collected	\$2,114,366.49
Abated	37,020.00
Transferred to Tax Title	2,548.00
Outstanding December 31, 1973	147,265.17
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	\$2,301,199.66

**1971 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$66.65
Collected	\$66.65

**1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$2,657.25
Refunded	42.75
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	\$2,700.00
Collected	\$2,565.00
Abated	45.00
Outstanding December 31, 1973	90.00
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	\$2,700.00

**1973 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed in 1973	\$84,911.02
Refunded	99.00
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	\$85,010.02
Collected	\$78,715.02
Abated	407.00
Outstanding December 31, 1973	5,888.00
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	\$85,010.02

**1973 FARM MACHINERY EXCISE**

Committed in 1973	\$123.50
Collected in 1973	\$123.50

**SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT TAXES****1971 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$426.40
Collected	\$426.40

**1972 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$5,897.50
Refunded	16.31
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	\$5,913.81
Collected	\$5,355.90
Abated	24.25
Taxes in Litigation	43.75
Outstanding December 31, 1973	489.91
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	\$5,913.81



**1973 REAL ESTATE**

Committed in 1973	\$210,645.24
Refunded	541.58
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	\$211,186.82
Collected	\$196,947.79
Abated	4,993.56
Transferred to Tax Title	.78
Outstanding December 31, 1973	9,244.69
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	\$211,186.82

**1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$192.00
Collected	\$185.25
Abated	5.25
Outstanding December 31, 1973	1.50
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	\$192.00

**1973 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed in 1973	\$4,038.07
Refunded	14.04
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	\$4,052.11
Collected	\$3,455.15
Abated	36.14
Outstanding December 31, 1973	560.82
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	\$4,052.11

**1971 WATER LIENS**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$199.50
Collected in 1973	\$199.50

**1972 WATER LIENS**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$320.19
Collected	\$241.31
Outstanding December 31, 1973	78.88
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	\$320.19

**NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
1972 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$98.50
Collected	\$98.50

**1973 REAL ESTATE**

Committed in 1973	\$5,824.00
Refunded	79.00

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\$5,903.00

Collected	\$5,616.50
Abated	31.00
Transferred to Tax Title	3.00
Outstanding December 31, 1973	252.50

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\$5,903.00

**1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Outstanding January 1, 1973	\$7.25
Collected	\$7.25

**1973 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed in 1973	\$284.50
Collected	\$271.25
Outstanding December 31, 1973	13.25

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\$284.50

Respectfully submitted,

**CHANNING E. HOXIE,**

Collector of Taxes

## Town Clerk's Report

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### BIRTHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH FOR THE YEAR — 1973

#### January:

- 1 Jennifer Catherine O'Toole, daughter to Thomas Joseph O'Toole and Phyllis Kay (Briggs)
- 22 Stacey Ann Friedeborn, daughter to Earl Moyer Friedeborn and Juanita May (Fairbanks)

#### February:

- 10 Paul Edward Boggs, son to Wayne Roger Boggs and Joy Marie (Vance)
- 16 Sara Castine, daughter to Joseph Castine and Ellen (Cucinelli)
- 24 Lori Alice Haire, daughter to Philip Covington Haire and Victoria Alice (Tuttle)

#### March:

- 1 Benjamin James Spofford, son to James Roger Spofford and Marie Frances (Adams)
- 8 Bonnie Jean Milroy, daughter to Thomas Joseph Milroy and Susan Davis (Brash)
- 12 Sally Anne Swift, daughter to Richard Emerson Swift and Frederica (Crowe)
- 15 Christopher Mathew, son to Bruce Warren Wilcox and Dianne Frances (Cantry)
- 15 Molly Maureen Werner, daughter to Henry Francis Werner, Jr. and Helen Anne (Hennessey)
- 26 Kara Marie Lehmann, daughter to Keith Frederick Lehmann and Brenda Louise (Jones)
- 27 Lee Ann Lynch, daughter to Paul Johnson Lynch and Nancy Lee (Burrill)

#### April:

- 2 Jennifer Mary Buckley, daughter to Kevin Buckley and Elaine Marie (Starr)
- 6 Bryce Estrella Cote, son to Richard Jules Cote and Tekla (Lisowski)

**April:**

- 18 Kristin Lynn Futch, daughter to Jeffrey David Futch and Patricia Ann (Queenan)
- 22 Richard James Copley, Jr., son to Richard James Copley and Colette Dorothy (Flory)

**May:**

- 7 Neal Matthews Provost, son to Ronnie O'Neal Provost and Rena Lee (Pagliarani)

**June:**

- 15 Justin Edward Hoxie, son to Edward Warren Hoxie, Jr. and Jean Marie (George)

**July:**

- 2 Jody Kathleen Butland, daughter to Dale Donald Butland and Susan Kathleen (Jones)
- 6 Joseph Anthony Vaudo, Jr., son to Joseph Anthony Vaudo and Mary Avis (Vance)
- 10 Jesse Koder, son to James Scott Koder and Nancy Mae (Foster)
- 16 Melanie Dawn Hodgkins, daughter to Stephen Allan Hodgkins and Dale Ellen (Wehagen)
- 21 Lynn Ann Terrill, daughter to Wayne Eugene Terrill, Jr. and Judith Ann (Lane)
- 28 Jeffrey Chester Bromley, son to Douglas Paul Bromley and Ann Marie (Smith)

**August:**

- 1 Carrie Lynn Taylor, daughter to George Francis Taylor and Patricia Marie (Lee)
- 8 Bartholomew Mooney Perry, son to Jeremiah Francis Perry and Margaret Ann (Mooney)
- 8 Alison Holly Wright, daughter to Winfield David Wright and Susan Holly (Gregory)
- 16 Tyler Jon Tomasek, son to David Tomasek and Nancy Lynn (Oberg)
- 24 Barry Russell Clifford 2nd, son to Barry Russell Clifford and Carolyn Edith (Taylor)
- 25 Jody Ann Forlivesi, daughter to Raoul Frank Forlivesi and Karen Ann (Nangle)

**September:**

- 5 Andrew Michael O'Neil, son to Thomas Michael O'Neil, Jr. and Ellen Mercita (Grace)



**September:**

- 14 Eric George Stahura, son to Walter Joseph Stahura, Jr. and Wilma Ann (Rilling)
- 19 Heather Lee Martin, daughter to Bryce Dwaine Martin and Wendy Lee (Robinson)
- 19 Charles Edward Cahoon, son to Roy James Cahoon and Susan Sumner (Robinson)
- 24 Gretchen Ann Yantiss, daughter to Robert Allan Yantiss and Anne Christine
- 29 Heather Maimi Pola, daughter to Gustavo Jeffery Pola and Jennifer Louise (North)

**October:**

- 9 Brian David VanBuskirk, son to Clarence Raymond VanBuskirk and Leah Victoria (Wenzel)
- 14 Colleen Marie Cooke, daughter to Peter Joseph Cooke and Paula Marie (Moberg)
- 19 Wayne David Andrade, son to Edward Joseph Andrade, Jr. and Dale Jean (Gonsalves)
- 31 Alissa Ann Fleet, daughter to Donald James Fleet and Nancy Ann (Schlaegel)

**November:**

- 7 Timothy Patrick Alty, son to Kenneth Leslie Alty and Kathleen (McCoomb)
- 8 Gregory Norris Anderson, Jr., son to Gregory Norris Anderson and Margaret Joyce (Main)
- 9 Amanda Judith Helfen, daughter to Michael Helfen and Donna Lee (Whitman)
- 30 Carolyn Meredith Fleet, daughter to John William Fleet and Donna Ann (Wood)

**December:**

- 9 Sarah Norton D'Elia, daughter to Arthur Joseph D'Elia and Paulette Anne (Norton)
- 15 Kendra George, daughter to Herbert Justin George and Linda Louise (Gallerani)
- 31 Stacy Anne Sullivan, daughter to Richard John Sullivan and Kathleen Ann (Roe)
- 26 Kelly Jeane Butler, daughter to Steven Trent Butler and Venus Emily (Mignault)

## MARRIAGES RECORDED IN SANDWICH FOR THE YEAR — 1973

**January:**

None

**February:**

- 14 Barry R. Clifford of Centerville, Mass. and Carolyn Taylor of Sandwich, Mass.
- 20 Robert J. Briemer of Arlington, Va. and Barbara Christopher Clark of Arlington, Virginia
- 24 Richard J. Souza of Sandwich, Mass. and Marilyn M. Metcalf of So. Sandwich, Mass.

**March:**

- 3 Gary J. Simpson of Sandwich, Mass. and Barbara J. Simpson (Wennerstrom) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 3 Dennis A. Sherman of Shrewsbury, Mass. and Donna Paradiso of Sandwich, Mass.
- 10 Patrick Michael Judge of Sandwich, Mass. and Laurie Anne Warren of Rockland, Mass.
- 21 Francis Owen Miller of Sandwich, Mass. and Ellen E. Forrester of Sandwich, Mass.
- 24 Philip T. McEachen of Sandwich, Mass. and Mary Alice Devine of Norwood, Mass.
- 31 Raymond Soares of Sandwich, Mass. and Cindy Ann Hale of Hesperia, California

**April:**

- 7 Robert A. Slade of Sandwich, Mass. and Jeanne E. Wallace of Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 Paul Kevin Maguire of Randolph, Mass. and Joann Hoxie of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 27 Thomas E. Irving of East Sandwich, Mass. and Kim Marilyn Cristofori of Buzzards Bay, Mass.

**May:**

- 5 James M. Foley of Sandwich, Mass. and Donna M. Wood (Wilson) of East Bridgewater, Mass.
- 19 Robert William Lauzier of Sandwich, Mass. and Barbara Ann Parker of Sandwich, Mass.
- 26 William F. Lemieux of East Sandwich, Mass. and Mary E. O'Brien (Adessa) of East Sandwich, Mass.

**May:**

- 26 Clifford W. Perry of Sagamore, Mass. and Patricia A. McKeon of Sandwich, Mass.
- 26 Kenneth Andrew Bailey, Jr. of Whitman, Mass. and Linda Lee Dinsmore of Sandwich, Mass.
- 27 Svante E. Mossberg of Forestdale, Mass. and Judith Chaplin of Forestdale, Mass.

**June:**

- 2 Joseph J. Dvorski, Jr. of Sandwich, Mass. and Muriel Louise Burns of South Hadley, Mass.
- 2 Paul Michael Boyd of Seattle, Washington and Tracy Phelan of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 3 Ricky J. Anders of East Falmouth, Mass. and Vivian I. Myers of Sandwich, Mass.
- 10 Thomas Lee Shook of Wareham, Mass. and Joan Minot Deppe of Wareham, Mass.
- 16 Roger A. Files of Sandwich, Mass. and Valerie J. Gironda of Sandwich, Mass.
- 16 Joseph Tanzella of Peabody, Mass. and Elsie S. Santos (Sylvia) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 22 Kevin P. Hughes of East Sandwich, Mass. and Jacqueline M. Lynch of Abington, Mass.
- 23 Dennis E. Newman of Forestdale, Mass. and Jane A. Marsolais of Sandwich, Mass.
- 30 Thomas David Rohan of Sandwich, Mass. and Darlyne Ann Marlyne of Bourne, Mass.

**July:**

- 2 William W. Burr of Mashpee, Mass. and Marion A. Luyckx of Randolph, Mass.
- 8 John Anthony Hrones, Jr. of Somerville, Mass. and Cynthia Gay Knowles of Brighton, Mass.
- 14 Philip S. Spofford, Jr. of Sandwich, Mass. and Joy M. McWilliams of Orleans, Mass.
- 21 Manuel A. Bettencourt of East Sandwich, Mass. and Gail M. McLaughlin of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 Thomas A. Battillo of Brooklyn, New York and Kathryn M. Lent of Boston, Mass.
- 28 Leslie Alan Marineau of Montpelier, Vermont and Ellen Mary Hamlen of Sandwich, Mass.



**August:**

- 11 Domenick V. Girona of Sandwich and Ruth E. Schlicher of Whitman, Mass.
- 11 Clifton Rideout, Jr. of Randolph, Mass. and Sharon Louise Jones (Judson) of Sagamore, Mass.
- 12 Michael L. Harrington of Centerville, Mass. and Deborah A. Palmer of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 18 William Frank Souweine of Barnstable, Mass. and Jorene Louise Massi of Sandwich, Mass.
- 25 David L. Clark of Sandwich, Mass. and Eleanore Arthur of Sandwich, Mass.
- 25 Peter George Greaves of Melrose, Mass. and Jayne Ellen Berry of Wareham, Mass.
- 25 Lawrence John Morrison of East Weymouth, Mass. and Patricia Anne Casey of East Sandwich, Mass.

**September:**

- 7 James E. McDonald, Jr. of Forestdale, Mass. and Suzanne E. Chaput of Forestdale, Mass.
- 8 Thomas M. Fisler of Dennisport, Mass. and Denise E. Dwyer of East Harwich, Mass.
- 8 Vincent Harrington of Sandwich, Mass. and Marie Coye of Barnstable, Mass.
- 9 Paul A. Thomas of Sandwich, Mass. and Lisa C. Erickson of Sagamore Beach, Mass.
- 22 Robert R. Pierce, Jr. of Mashpee, Mass. and Dianna Melvin of Sandwich, Mass.
- 29 Richard Allen Falls of Mashpee, Mass. and Delia Davis of Hyannis, Mass.
- 29 Donald W. Seamans of No. Scituate, R. I. and Marion E. Lyon (Keene) of No. Scituate, R. I.

**October:**

- 5 Robert J. Chase of Falmouth, Mass. and Marjorie E. Shea of Sandwich, Mass.
- 5 Paul D. Bucell of Sandwich, Mass. and Donna L. Daniel of Sandwich, Mass.
- 6 Robert E. Scott of Forestdale, Mass. and Raye McLaughlin (Cook) of Forestdale, Mass.
- 13 David A. Dougherty of Sandwich, Mass. and Donna L. Grabowski (LaFlamme) of Bourne, Mass.



**October:**

- 20 Bruce A. Jillson of East Sandwich, Mass. and Helen Ann Menzel of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 20 Robert A. Brady of Sandwich, Mass. and Carole C. Eichholtz of Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 Russell W. Provost of Sandwich, Mass. and Ruth Williamson of Pocasset, Mass.
- 27 John M. McAllister of Worcester, Mass. and Gail L. Farnham of Worcester, Mass.
- 28 Philip Peltz III of Sandwich and Catherine Gantt of Sandwich, Mass.

**November:**

- 4 Robert Massimo Antoncecchi of East Sandwich, Mass. and Kathleen P. McDonald of Somerville, Mass.
- 11 Robert J. Fournier of Sandwich, Mass. and Wendy A. McKee of Sandwich, Mass.
- 17 Louis Risco Sleboda of New York, N. Y. and Ellen Todd Reynolds of New York, N. Y.
- 17 Gordon Lester Hunt of East Sandwich, Mass. and Anne Fenno Clarke of New London, N. H.
- 17 Richard V. Anthony of Sandwich, Mass. and Marcia MacFarland Walker of Forestdale, Mass.
- 24 Timothy Quinn Lanoue of New Bedford, Mass. and Martha Louise Schlotterbeck of New Bedford, Mass.

**December:**

- 1 Michael Dion of Harwich, Mass. and Janice Dwyer of Forestdale, Mass.
- 9 Joseph Bekoff of Sandwich, Mass. and Marie E. Maloney (Billert) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 15 Gary M. Anthony of Sandwich, Mass. and Donna M. Santos of East Sandwich, Mass.
- 15 Edward J. Dutra of Forestdale, Mass. and Patricia M. Dutra (O'Neil) of Forestdale, Mass.
- 23 Jonathan A. Leonard of Arlington, Va. and Monique Szechenyi of Arlington, Va.

**DEATHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH  
FOR THE YEAR — 1973**

**Yrs. Mos. Days**

**January:**

1	Catherine Theresa Ellis (O'Connell)	80	3	6
5	Henry C. McKay	49	7	26
8	Geraldine F. Lowrey	54	11	19
23	Harold Palmer	77	2	20
31	Lucy Lillian Ginn	87	1	20

**February:**

7	Elsie Louise Brownell (Fish)	83	0	20
23	Elma Margarte Fischer	93	....	....

**March:**

13	Seth Otis Ellis	76	7	8
20	Florida Cynthia Gooding	52	2	5
23	George N. St. Onge	66	8	17

**April:**

2	Ellen Margaret Arthur (MacIsaac)	58	4	20
9	John Owen Hart	52	0	9
9	Alice G. Erickson (Loeser)	80	4	14

**May:**

2	George Burgess Pope	81	9	29
11	Alexander Lorimer Martin	64	0	6

**June:**

19	Claude Crane	56	4	24
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**July:**

4	George Chamberlin	90	7	1
15	Octavia Louise VanBuskirk (Hoxie)	59	6	8
16	Josephine Friesecke (DeTomi)	75	6	15
21	Mary E. Sweeney (Farrell)	67	8	17
30	James A. Bazzinotti	60	5	21

Yrs. Mos. Days

**August:**

11	Herbert Eugene Benedict	87	9	16
22	Katherine Margaret Jones (McKenna)	77	6	26
23	Oscar William Lindroth	81	4	27
24	Lars G. Michelson	90	1	22
25	Claire Bartram (Hubbell)	57	6	4
26	Alcide Fournier	83	7	4
27	Carl L. Malmquist	64	4	23

**September:**

14	Marie Gustin	71	8	28
25	William James Parks	79	8	12

**October:**

6	George A. Schroeder	55	1	16
8	Wayne Eugene Terrell, Jr.	27	2	14
13	Alice L. Kane (Richardson)	86	1	28
15	Everett Creighton Myers	63	....	....

**November:**

25	Mary Josephine Lenihan (Russell)	82	7	17
28	Harry Bansmere	85	11	21

**December:**

18	Walter E. High	61	9	16
30	Catherine M. Burbine (Mielbye)	73	7	8

## DIVISION OF FISHERIES &amp; GAME

## 1973 Licenses Issued in 1973

Resident Citizen Fishing	168	@	\$8.25	\$1,386.00
Resident Citizen Hunting	176	@	8.25	1,452.00
Resident Citizen Sporting	79	@	13.50	1,066.50
Resident Citizen Minor Fishing	18	@	6.25	112.50
Non-Res. Cit./Alien Fishing	8	@	14.25	114.00
Non-Res. Cit./Alien 7 Day Fishing	38	@	8.25	313.50
Non-Res. Cit./Alien Hunting	3	@	20.25	60.75
Resident Citizen Minor Trapping	1	@	6.25	6.25
Resident Citizen Trapping	5	@	11.50	57.50
Duplicate Licenses	6	@	1.00	6.00
Archery Deer Stamps	8	@	5.10	40.80
Resident Citizen Sporting (Free)	47			
Resident Citizen Fishing (Free)	2			
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Totals	559			\$4,615.80
Less Town Clerk's Fees				124.80
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Remitted to Division of Fisheries & Game				\$4,491.00



**DOG LICENSES****1972 Dog Licenses Issued in 1973**

14	Male	@	\$3.00	\$42.00
8	Female	@	6.00	48.00
8	Spayed Female	@	3.00	24.00

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30				\$114.00
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	Less Town Clerk's Fees			10.50
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	Remitted to County Treasurer			\$103.50
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**1973 Dog Licenses Issued in 1973**

449	Male	@	\$3.00	\$1,347.00
106	Female	@	6.00	636.00
349	Spayed Female	@	3.00	1,047.00
11	Kennel	@	10.00	110.00
1	Kennel	@	25.00	25.00
2	Kennel	@	50.00	100.00

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918				\$3,265.00
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	Less Town Clerk's Fees			321.30
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	Remitted to County Treasurer			\$2,943.70
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Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE,  
Town Clerk

## Jury List

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Adolfson, William F.	Retired
Ahonen, Niilo R.	Foreman
Albright, Carolyn Ayer	Retired
Alcorn, Arnold S.	Retired
Alvezi, Walter R.	Retired
Antoncecchi, Leo J.	Merchant
Arnold, Douglas J.	Security and Service
Bangs, Donald H.	TV Repairman
Bazzinotti, Arthur A.	Retired
Beers, Walter R.	Retired
Bess, Frank C.	Supervisor
Boyden, Willard E.	Retired
Brady, Bernard	Observer
Bridges, Betty E.	Housewife
Bryden, Willard O.	Insurance
Burke, William A.	Builder
Caron, Gerald E.	Electrician
Coppola, Victor F.	Retired
DeConto, Richard T.	Real Estate
Donovan, William D.	Marine Controller
Drew, Roy F.	Custodian
Dunbar, Janet M.	Housewife
Dutton, Adams B.	Retired
Dwyer, Earl L.	Restaurant Owner
Earle, James O.	Oil Serviceman
Fekkes, Harry	Retired
Felton, Robert M.	Retired
Fish, William W., Jr.	Retired
Fraser, Clifford A.	Carpenter
George, Justin W.	Lineman
Gerling, Robert L.	Life Insurance Advisor
Gorden, Morton	Consultant
Gozdz, Zigmund	Retired
Hefler, Harold B.	Retired
Hill, Susan B.	Retired
Hopkins, Melva K.	Housewife
Jacinto, John W.	Retired
Jacinto, Joseph E.	Chauffeur
Kosarick, Irene J.	Housewife
Leino, Carl E.	Retired

Lumpkin, Bertram R., Jr.	Design Draftsman
Magnant, Claire C.	Housewife
McKillop, Robert D.	Retired
Meduna, Joseph	Marine Traffic Officer
Ostrander, Raymond H.	Professor Emeritus
Paltrineri, Anthony	Retired
Peltz, Philip	Wood Carver
Pipatti, Onni A.	Maintenance Foreman
Pola, Margaret S.	Housewife
Rosa, Joseph P., Jr.	Teamster
Sisson, Jerome C.	Retired
Skelly, Blanche L.	Retired
Sullivan, Ann C.	Teacher
Terhune, Wallace I.	Retired
Tocchio, E. Michael	Builder
Torrey, Stanley A.	Real Estate
Vega, Domingo	Retired
Warren, William A.	Retired
White, Robert L.	Mechanic
Winslow, John H.	Maintenance
Zagami, Marjorie	Housewife

## Report of the Planning Board

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

For the last several years, the Planning Board has reported on the rapidity of growth in Sandwich. The year 1973 continued the trend. A total of 21 definitive subdivision plans were approved defining a total of 1,889 lots. These figures do not include plans of other lots and divisions of land on public ways where the Board's approval was given, though not required under the subdivision control regulations.

With few exceptions, the Planning Board met each Wednesday evening during the first 8 months of 1973. Since then, various factors in the general economy have reduced the workload of the Board and the two regularly scheduled meetings each month have sufficed.

The town of Sandwich is beginning to feel the effects of its pattern of rapid growth. Increasing departmental budgets reflect the increasing services required by a rising resident and seasonal population. The new 12 million dollar school building program voted at a special town meeting in September, acknowledges the growth and will make a sharp impact on taxes in 1974 and subsequently.

Through changes in subdivision regulations voted by the Planning Board, we sought to make the developer and the new resident assume responsibility for the increasing burden of public services required by expansion. This has proved only partly successful. The Planning Board has proposed and in large measure the Town has adopted new zoning regulations. The minimum lot size in East and South Sandwich was raised to 40,000 feet and this was done primarily to avoid the need for an expensive municipal sewerage service in these areas. However, the State statute provides that landowners in such districts of changing zoning requirements can follow prior zoning codes by the timely filing of subdivision plans. It was



these which the Board has largely dealt with in 1973. Thus Sandwich has thousands of half-acre lots approved for home construction.

Partly to relieve the pressures of commercial development along Route 6A the Planning Board proposed and the Town adopted new commercial areas south of the Mid-Cape Highway on Rte. 130. This, it is hoped, will assist in maintaining the historic integrity of the village center while locating the business area near roads capable of handling increased traffic (including supply trucks) without congestion and hazard and without routing such traffic through residentially developed areas.

We recognize continued problems with vehicular traffic through the historic village. To the present, we have been unable to find a feasible solution to this problem, though several expensive alternatives have been studied.

There are continuing problems with development on the lower and wetter areas of Town. Bacterial pollution, as well as overfishing, have sadly reduced our shellfishing.

During the year, the Planning Board convened 24 regular meetings with 20 public hearings on subdivisions. In addition to these, 15 special meetings were called, 5 being devoted to planning consultation with Mr. Phillip Herr, 4 were open meetings on hearings on proposed zoning or subdivision changes, and the balance were scheduled consultations with the Conservation Commission, the Board of Appeals, the Board of Health, the Water Commissioners and the Selectmen.

One of the outcomes of this cooperation between Town Boards was the proposal to conserve a superb forest with water frontage on Wakeby Pond and to preserve the Thornton Burgess Briar Patch in the watershed of our Town water supply. Future generations are likely to applaud this one, for these moves were overwhelmingly approved at the 1973 Town Meeting.

The Planning Board with able assistance from the Sandwich Landscape Advisory Council proposed and the townspeople voted for a new Town Sign By-law to replace the sign code formerly included in the zoning regulations. The new by-law makes use of the provisions of Chapter 93 of the general laws of the Commonwealth under which non-conform-

ing signs may be gradually eliminated. In general we have been fortunate in Sandwich, for we have escaped the terrible disfigurement of other communities which failed to restrict advertising signs. The Board urges a firm enforcement of the new Sign By-law.

Mrs. Miriam R. Wilharm found it necessary to resign and Alan W. Jones was appointed to fill this vacancy.

The Planning Board acknowledges with gratitude the assistance of our consultant planner, Philip Herr, of Herr Associates, the Town Engineer, William Taylor, its secretary Mrs. Helen Palmer, the cooperation and suggestions of the other Town boards and commissions, and those citizens who thought enough of the Town to attend hearings and lend their insight in the cause of good planning and good government for Sandwich.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER E. CROSS, Chairman  
DAVID W. ALLEN  
WILLIAM G. BRYDEN  
JOHN A. COE  
ALAN W. JONES

## Report of the Police Department

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of the Town of Sandwich**

As Chief of Police of the Town of Sandwich, I respectfully submit my annual report for the year of 1973.

The year has been a busy one for your police department. Calls for service requiring the dispatch of a cruiser rose over 51% from 2,082 in 1972 to 3,380 in 1973. 1,840 came from Sandwich village, 665 from East Sandwich and 884 from South Sandwich and Forestdale. 558 calls came between 12:00 M. and 8:00 A.M., 1,160 between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. and 1,662 between 4:00 P.M. and 12:00 M.

Much of the increase can be attributed to our rapid increase in population. Some must be attributed to the fact that, according to FBI statistics, rural and suburban communities of our size have the fastest growing crime rate in the country.

An alarming increase is noted in the so-called violent crimes, until recent years almost unknown in Sandwich. The department investigated two assaults with intent to commit murder, two assaults with a dangerous weapon, one armed robbery, one unarmed robbery, one assault with intent to commit rape and one rape.

The total number of arrests rose from 167 in 1972 to 246 in 1973. Total complaints investigated number 1,653. 80 breaking and entering were investigated, up from 69 in 1972. Business breaks increased from 9 to 20, housebreaks from 58 to 60, 29 in summer homes, 31 in year round homes. 165 larcenies were recorded, with \$25,388.30 worth of property stolen, down considerably from \$67,071.41 in 1972. Including property recovered by this department but stolen in another jurisdiction, \$32,973.70 worth of stolen property was recovered. 114 cases of vandalism, resulting in \$17,925.08 in damages, were investigated.

Sandwich has been fortunate for the first year since 1965, to experience a fatal free 12 month period.



175 accidents were investigated, up from 164 in 1972. 61 accidents involved personal injury. 114 were property damage only.

1,732 Motor Vehicle Citations were issued, increased from 1,039 in 1972. 868 required court action. 864 were warnings.

Your department has increased its checking of vacant homes, stores and businesses. During the year officers made 15,235 housechecks, up from 13,259 in 1972 and 6,217 in 1971. Nightly checks are made on all stores and businesses. During the year officers found 703 homes and businesses open during security checks.

A trained police dog was added to the department in the Fall, donated by Mr. Thomas Dwyer of Forestdale. The dog, "Kirt", now accompanies Off. Ronald W. Nurse during his tour of duty, and is available on call at all times.

The department was awarded a grant for the purchase of a Breathalyzer, a machine which measures the level of alcohol in an arrested person's breath. Sergeants E. Bartlett McKay and George E. Elvander, along with Patrolman James R. Swift, Haskell E. Hawkins and Barry R. Clifford have been certified as operators by the State Department of Public Safety.

Patrolman James R. Swift completed an approved fingerprint school and Sgt. E. Bartlett McKay completed the FBI Management Course.

In late June the department moved into its new station. The new building is a credit to the department and the town. Anyone who has not toured the building is cordially invited to do so.

During the year the department's six cruisers traveled a total of 393,515 miles, up from 322,799 in 1972 and used \$13,707.32 worth of gasoline

The department's revenue for the year totaled \$1,740.00. This money, turned into the Town Treasurer, comes from pistol permits, Firearms ID Cards, Liquor ID Cards, dealer's licenses and copies of police reports sold to insurance companies and attorneys.

I would like to thank the Selectmen, other town departments and officials, other law enforcement agencies, my own



officers and, of course the citizens of Sandwich for the excellent assistance and cooperation shown in 1973.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT D. WHEARTY, JR.,

Chief of Police

### Charges and Motor Vehicle Violations

During the past year 1,016 persons were subject of investigations on complaints of crime or violation of motor vehicle laws, mostly by this department as a unit, sometimes with assistance from or to the Massachusetts State Police or other law enforcement agencies.

877 of these were adult males. There were 98 adult females and 41 juveniles, both male and female.

A total of 1,499 charges were investigated by the department and were disposed of as follows:

	Guilty	Nolo	Not Guilty	Pending	Dismissed
Armed Robbery	0	0	0	1	0
Unarmed Robbery	1	0	0	1	1
Assault with a dangerous weapon	4	0	0	2	2
Assault with intent to murder	0	0	0	0	2
Indecent assault on child under the age of 15	0	0	0	0	2
Assault	0	0	0	0	1
Assault and battery	5	0	0	0	10
Assault and battery on a police officer	6	2	0	1	1
Resisting arrest	3	0	0	4	1
Affray	0	0	2	0	0
Obstructing a police officer	1	0	0	0	0
Aiding a prisoner to escape from custody	1	0	0	0	0
Threatening—murder	0	0	0	0	1
Unnatural act with a child under the age of 16	2	0	0	0	0
Disorderly person	17	2	2	5	4

Drunk	28	0	3	1	6
Indecent exposure	1	0	0	1	0
Breaking and entering in the nighttime	5	0	0	1	0
Breaking and entering in the daytime	8	0	0	2	1
Receiving stolen property	5	0	0	1	1
Larceny less than \$100.00	0	0	0	1	4
Larceny over \$100.00	10	0	0	3	2
Larceny from a building	2	0	0	0	1
Attempted larceny	0	0	0	0	1
Larceny of a Motor vehicle	1	0	0	1	0
Evading taxi fare	1	0	0	0	0
Malicious destruction of property	8	0	0	2	1
Causing injury to a dwelling house	0	0	0	0	2
Breaking glass in a building	1	1	0	4	0
Defrauding an inn-keeper	0	0	0	0	3
Possession of a dangerous weapon	1	0	1	0	0
No pistol permit	1	0	0	0	0
No firearms identification card	0	0	0	3	0
Stubborn child	0	0	0	1	0
Abandoned refrigerator	0	0	0	1	0
Making harrassing telephone calls	0	0	0	1	0
Transmitting a false bomb report	1	0	0	0	0
Minor in possession of alcoholic beverages	2	0	1	2	0
Causing injury to a forest tree	1	0	0	0	2
Illegal disposal of rubbish	1	0	0	0	0
Disturbing the peace	2	0	0	0	0
Possession of fireworks	2	0	0	0	0
Removing flags from a cemetery	2	0	0	0	0
Hunting — no deer tag	0	0	0	0	1
Violation Town of Sandwich By-Law— Anti-noise	1	0	0	0	0
Violation of Town of Sandwich By-Law— Consuming alc. in public place	4	1	2	1	1
Violation of Town of Sandwich By-Law— Profanity	7	1	0	1	0
Violation of Town of Sandwich By-Law— Junk cars	4	0	0	0	1
Violation of Town of Sandwich By-Law— Minor in possession of Alc. Bev.	2	0	0	0	0
Trespassing	2	0	0	1	0
Possession of a Hypodermic syringe	1	0	0	0	0
Possession of a Class A controlled substance—Heroin	1	0	0	0	0

Possession of a Class D controlled substance—Marijuana	24	1	2	1	1
Possession of a Class E controlled substance	0	0	0	0	1
Distributing a Class B controlled substance—Amphetimine Derivative	1	0	0	0	0
Distributing a Class B controlled substance—Methamphetimine	0	0	2	0	0
Distributing a Class C controlled substance—LSD	1	0	0	0	3
Distributing a Class C controlled substance—Hashish	1	0	0	0	0
Distributing a Class D controlled substance—Marijuana	3	0	0	1	0
Cultivation of Marijuana	4	0	0	0	1
Conspiracy to cultivate marijuana	0	0	0	0	2

The following charges are all motor vehicle violations

	Guilty	Nolo	Not Guilty	Pending	Dismissed	R.M.V. Action	Warnings
Speeding	389	31	3	69	5	51	510
Passing, view obstructed	24	5	0	10	0	2	14
Failing to slow at intersection	6	2	0	1	0	1	2
Defective equipment	35	10	0	5	1	10	72
Improper starting, stopping, backing or turning	21	1	0	3	0	3	15
No registration in possession	37	13	1	14	3	16	16
No license in possession	49	9	2	15	2	11	26
Operating under the influence of alcohol	40	0	6	14	3	0	0
Leaving the scene of accident after causing property damage	3	1	0	2	0	0	0
Operating to endanger	23	4	6	4	4	0	0
Operating with no license	18	2	3	4	4	4	0
Unauthorized use of a Motor Vehicle	8	0	3	1	2	0	0
Operating after right to suspended or revoked	2	0	0	1	2	0	0
Unauthorized use of M.V. after license suspended or revoked	1	0	0	1	0	0	0

Operating after license suspended	5	0	2	1	2	0	0
Operating after license revoked	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
No inspection sticker	24	4	1	9	6	6	5
Failing to stop for a police officer	5	2	2	2	1	0	0
Passing stopped school bus	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
Unregistered Motor Vehicle	18	13	3	8	6	3	1
Uninsured Motor Vehicle	3	5	9	7	13	2	0
Allowing unregistered M.V. to be operated	1	2	0	2	0	0	0
Allowing uninsured M.V. to be operated	1	2	0	2	0	0	0
No cover on load	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Stop sign	47	2	1	6	0	16	166
Attaching plates to M.V.	3	2	1	4	5	2	0
Operating without headlights	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
Red light	4	0	0	1	0	2	9
Failing to display red flag on overlength load	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Projecting load	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Operating in violation of license restriction	6	0	0	0	0	2	0
Passing on the right	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
Failing to display visible evidence of registration	6	1	0	3	0	1	15
Improper display of registration plate	2	0	0	2	0	0	0
Operating in violation of learners permit	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Failing to dim headlights	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Giving false name to a police officer	0	0	0	3	1	0	0
Failing to keep to the right of the road	16	0	1	1	0	0	7
Making unreasonable noise with M.V.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Impeded operation	6	1	1	0	0	0	5
Failing to keep within marked lanes	7	0	0	1	0	1	1
Spilling load	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Abandoning a motor vehicle	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Failing to keep to the right of a traffic island	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Towing an unregistered trailer	4	1	1	1	0	1	0
Towing an uninsured trailer	1	0	2	0	2	1	0



Allowing an improper person to operate	0	0	0	1	0	2	2
Following too close	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Failing to signal turn	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Parking M.V. on private property	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Making "U" turn	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Failing to change address on license after moving	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Failing to return a rented M.V.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Obscured registration plate	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Failing to stop at Railroad Crossing	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Improper use of headlights	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Many persons other than those listed above were involved in investigations of crimes or Motor Vehicles violations and cleared of involvement before court action was initiated.

Total fines imposed by the various courts for 1973 cases—\$18,280.00.

56 years, 4 months and 10 days in confinement, probation and continuances for disposition handed down by the courts. Many juvenile cases were continued without a finding for disposition at a latter date.

The following tally of 1973 activities should complete the picture of departmental activity for the year.

House breaks investigated		60
Summer homes	29	
Year round homes	31	
Breaking & entering business establishments		9
Instances of theft reported or discovered		165
Reported Value of property stolen	\$25,388.30	
Value of property recovered (including that stolen in another jurisdiction)	\$32,973.70	
Instances of property reported lost		128
Instances of found property		185
Lost property returned to owner		144
Cases of property destruction		114
Reported value of property destroyed	\$17,925.00	
Motor Vehicle violations booked		1039
Court action including motor vehicle arrest	868	
Registry action and warnings issued	864	
Automobile accidents reported & investigated		175
Number of persons killed	0	

Number of persons injured	61
Number of vehicles involved	260
Accidents involving property damage only	114
Hit & run accidents	9
Value of property damage caused from accidents	\$134,445.00
Firearms permits to carry issued	86
Firearms Identification cards issued	80
Firearms dealers permits issued	7
Automobile transfers (All Class 1)	596
Animals killed on the highway	50
Assistance to:	
Ambulance	195
Elderly	55
Fire Department	125
Stranded motorists	140
Other Law Enforcement Agencies	101
Miscellaneous	103
Escorts	8
Total Assistance rendered	727
Transportation furnished	
Doctors	20
Hospital	17
Routine	146
State Institutions	4
Total Transportation furnished	187
Parking violations issued	187
Defective Equipment tags issued	149
Natural Deaths Investigated	3
Bicycle Registrations issued (No plates available)	0
Prowler Complaints received & investigated	39
Vacant houses checked on request and winter check of summer homes	15,235
Doors and windows found open as result of nightly and winter checks	703
Runaway children reported and/or located	13
Licenses suspended or revoked by Registry of Motor Vehicles	30
Licenses Reinstated by Registry of Motor Vehicles	9
Burglar alarms received & answered (All false except 1)	452
Crank calls received	11
Instances of disturbances reported	31
Messages delivered	129

Missing person reported and/or located	58
Dog complaints received at station—	
answered or referred to Dog Officer	1,859
Stolen cars reported	3
Stolen cars recovered	4
Summonses & warrants served for various	
courts and police departments	220
Cases of bad checks investigated	31
Trips to various courts by department members	198
Calls received and checks made for ice safety	40
Radar patrol at various times by department members	381
Requests for house checks received	754
Routine traffic and police department operations	
for the year 1973	75,538
Radio transmissions received or sent from station	29,225
Miles traveled by vehicles of Police Department	393,515

# Report of the Fire Engineers

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**Board of Selectmen,  
Town Hall,  
Sandwich, Mass.**

Gentlemen:

The Annual Report of the Sandwich Fire Department for the year 1973 is submitted herewith.

Following is a breakdown of alarms and related activities during the past year.

Building fires (approximate loss \$90,000.00)	23
Car fires (approximate loss \$6,925)	19
Grass and woods fires (approximately 8 acres)	26
Dump fires	12
Miscellaneous fires	26
Rescue calls	24
Smoke investigations	31
Other investigations	52
Mutual aid	12
Automatic alarms	48
False alarms	8
Ambulance calls	320
Gas and oil washdowns	17
Oil slicks investigated	1
Oil burner inspections	122
Cellars pumped	35
Hose Laid	
3 inch	1,650 feet
2½ inch	1,950 feet
1 ½ inch	5,800 feet
Forestry	3,450 feet
Fire extinguishers used	29

The continued growth of the town continues to be a major concern as it relates to providing adequate and efficient service to the citizens of Sandwich. In the five year period



1969 through 1973 the estimated value of new building in Sandwich, exclusive of the Canal Electric Plant, totals \$27,604,184. During this same period 979 new dwellings were built. During the past year alone the estimated value of new building amounted to \$7,821,184, and involved construction of 243 new homes.

The growth of the town is further reflected in the increased number of building fires 23 in 1972 and 32 in 1973. The increase in the number of ambulance runs is even more significant. During 1973 the Department responded to 320 ambulance calls, 60 more than the preceding year. All indications point to the fact that a continuing increase in demands for emergency services will keep pace with the growth of the town.

On May 9 Thomas Cosgrove resigned as a member of the Board of Engineers due to his moving out of town. George Crawford was appointed by the Selectmen as his replacement.

The work of overhauling the 65 foot Junior Aerial ladder truck obtained from Boston was completed in May and the unit placed in service as Ladder 1.

During the late spring the unfinished portion of the second floor of the headquarters station was renovated for use as a dormitory and the necessary furnishings installed.

With the addition of the three men authorized at the March meeting, 24 hour coverage by three groups of four men each at the headquarters station was instituted on July 1. The immediate response by this nucleus of permanent fire fighters for both fires and emergency ambulance service has greatly improved the efficiency of the department.

Effective July 1 the operation and maintenance of the towns three fire stations was turned over to the Board of Engineers. These properties were previously under the supervision of the Selectmen.

During the late summer and fall months the Insurance Services Office, formerly the New England Fire Rating Bureau, conducted a survey of the town's fire protection. Considering the growth of the town, and the development of the Department in both equipment and personnel, together with the extension of service by the Water District, the Engineers felt that a survey, which would reflect these improvements

was warranted. It is hoped that as a result of this survey the town will be placed in a more favorable insurance classification.

Due to the energy situation and the possibility of periodic blackouts by the power companies, as well as disruption of power due to natural causes, radio receivers used for communication with department personnel, have been equipped with battery packs which will keep these units operative in the event of a power failure.

The tractor unit obtained through Civil Defense has been rebuilt as a brush breaker - tanker. The iron work and tank have been completed and only the piping, pump installation and painting remain to complete this project. Wherever possible this work is being done by the permanent members of the department. Completion is scheduled for early spring at which time this unit will be housed at Station 3 in Forestdale replacing a 30 year old unit.

During the past year the legislature passed the so called "Ambulance Bill" which requires that by 1977 all ambulance attendants must have completed and passed an 80 hour course in Emergency Medical Training. Five members of the Department are currently enrolled in this course. Other members will enroll for the next session which is limited to a specific number of men. It is expected that all permanent fire fighters as well as a number of callmen will be fully qualified by the deadline date.

In addition to the EMT course both permanent and call personnel have been enrolled in courses devoted to Fire Science and related subjects at the Community College. Drills for all department personnel have been held on a regular bi-monthly basis.

Members of the Board of Engineers have worked with the Building Committee appointed by the moderator to determine how badly needed space at the Headquarters Station might be obtained. Specific recommendations together with costs for an addition to the station will be placed before the town for consideration at the May Meeting.

Due to the additional number of men who will be entitled to vacation leave, as well as to cover periods of sick leave, an additional fire fighter will be recommended for permanent appointment effective July 1.

In line with past practice the East Sandwich and Forestdale stations were manned during the daytime hours in July and August. As indicated earlier in this report new building, completed or planned, in both the east and south sections of the town are of concern to the engineers from the standpoint of fire protection. At the present time the Water District does not serve South Sandwich, and only portions of East Sandwich. Quick response is essential if incipient fires are to be quickly controlled. The immediate problem is coverage during the daytime hours when callmen are away from their homes working at their regular jobs which are frequently out of town.

One of the penalties of a fast growing town is the need to provide the equipment and manpower required to provide efficient protection of persons and property. While every effort has, and is being made, to provide needed protection at a minimal expense, the requirements brought about by a fast growing community cannot be too long postponed without serious consequences.

As indicated in previous reports, the tanker housed at Station 2, should be replaced during the coming year. This unit was purchased second hand over 25 years ago and has reached the point of effective dependability. A second hand unit of more recent manufacture is currently being sought as a replacement. If an available tank truck unit, suitable for department needs, can be found during the coming months, funds will be sought for its purchase.

The Chiefs Patrol Truck purchased in 1970 is showing serious signs of wear due to its extensive use and should be replaced. With permanent men now responding to all alarms, the original purpose of having the chief drive a unit of this type is no longer necessary. The Engineers therefore recommend replacing the present Patrol Truck with a station wagon. The cost of such replacement would be much less than the cost of a new truck unit, and would more adequately serve the chief in carrying out his duties.

The master radio console through which fire department communications are handled has been in service for more than 17 years. In the light of present day technology it lacks the efficiency which should be expected from this type of equipment. As radio is the nerve center of the departments



alarm and communication system, the Engineers are recommending its replacement.

We again take this opportunity to remind citizens when reporting a fire to stay as calm as possible. Give your name, address and type of fire slowly and clearly. This information is essential to the prompt response to your call for assistance. The Fire Department EMERGENCY number is 888-2323. Stickers giving this emergency number, which may be affixed to your telephone instrument, are available at fire headquarters. For routine business calls the number to use is 888-0525. Also available are "Tot Finder" decals which may be placed on doors or windows of rooms in which children or incapacitated persons are located.

The Chief and Board of Fire Engineers extend their thanks and appreciation to our neighboring towns for their valuable assistance through mutual aid. The Board also gratefully acknowledges the cooperation and assistance of other town departments and officials who have been of assistance in many ways.

Respectfully submitted,

Board of Fire Engineers  
CHIEF FERDINAND L. ALVEZI, Chairman  
W. GORDON SWAN, Clerk  
EUGENE H. MORROW  
GEORGE H. CRAWFORD  
WILLIAM W. WARD



## Forest Warden Department

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### Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

The following report of the Forest Warden Department is herewith submitted for the year 1973.

Listed below is the breakdown of alarms responded to and other activities of the Forest Warden's Department:

Woods & Grass Fires	26	8 Acres
Dump Fires	12	
Fire Permits Issued	272	
Smoke Investigations	26	
Burning Violations	4	

Woods and grass fires were at a minimum this year due to the wet spring. Twenty-six alarms were sounded this year for woods and grass fires, but the majority of these burned a quarter of an acre or less and the total amount of acreage burned was eight acres.

The Environmental Health Air Pollution laws are still in effect. However an amendment to these laws has been passed and selected open burning will be allowed between 2-15-74 and 3-15-74, but a burning permit must still be obtained. This also will be repeated at the same time period in 1975.

In conclusion, I would like to thank all Town Departments and outside Fire Departments who have assisted the Forest Warden Department in any way.

Respectfully submitted,

FERDINAND L. ALVEZI,  
Forest Warden

## Dog & Conservation Officer

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### To The Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

Herewith submitted is a breakdown of the activities in the log of the Town of Sandwich Dog Officer.

Dog Nuisances	388
Unrestrained Dogs	189
Lost Dogs Returned	149
Dog Bites	21
Dog Accidents—	
14 Injured	
27 Killed	
1 Shot (by person Unknown)	42
Dogs Turned Over to M.S.P.C.A.	19
Vicious Dogs	8
Dogs Attacking Fowl	6
Dogs Attacking Rabbit	1
Squirrel Bite	1

In March 1973, the voters of Sandwich at Town Meeting approved a motion requesting the Selectmen to enforce a year-round Leash Law for the Town's dogs. It has been my duty to enforce this edict in addition to the already existing laws of licensing and inoculations.

The licensing period runs from April 1, to March 31 of the following year and is immediately effective.

Over 927 licenses for dogs were recorded at Town Hall in 1973. I sent out reminders to 230 dog owners or keepers regarding failures to license their dogs.

Also, 81 written warnings were issued to owners of unrestrained dogs.

Twenty-one of the above violations resulted in Court action.

Since August 1969, the General Laws of the Commonwealth require:

"G.L. Chap. 140, Sec. 145 B. Vaccination of dogs against rabies. Whoever is the owner or keeper of a dog six months of age or older, shall cause said dog to be vaccinated against

rabies by a licensed veterinarian using a vaccine approved by the Department of Public Health. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars."

All concerned were pleased with the success of the Rabies Clinic, sponsored by the Shawme Fish and Game Club at their premises, approved by the Town Board of Health and administered by veterinarian, Dr. Jones, of Falmouth. Over 200 dogs received immunization, effective for two years. This clinic was held on April 14 and 18, 1973.

Many nuisance complaints are logged pertaining to dogs barking at night. Please try not to offend your neighbor or disturb his sleep by your dog's night barking.

Another cause for complaint is trespassing of dogs on neighbor's property. Please keep your dog restrained. All dogs picked up by the Dog Officer for this violation will cost the owner an initial \$5.00, plus \$2.00 per day custody and care. After five days if the dog is not claimed, it is turned over to the M.S.P.C.A.

At this writing the new building on Route 130, with its six kennels, which will take the place of the inadequate two kennel facility at the rear of the Fire House, is near completion and will in all probability be occupied at the time of Town Meeting.

Following is a breakdown of the activities in my report as Town of Sandwich Fish, Game and Conservation Officer:

Raccoon complaints (3 sick)	4
Skunk	1
Wounded seagulls	5
Ducks caught in rocks at Shawme Pond	22
Deer (killed by motor vehicles)	11

I also investigated the following complaints:

Violations of Wet Lands Act (assisting the Conservation Comm.)	2
Illegal clam digging	7
Fishing violations (fresh water)	5
Hunting complaints	24
Lobster poaching	9
Dogs chasing deer	2

To enable me to execute my responsibilities as Conservation Officer, I patrol the parks, beaches and Conservation areas daily.

I would like to thank the following for their assistance in making my duties easier to perform and more effective in results: The Honorable Board of Selectmen, the entire personnel of the Police and Fire Departments, the Sandwich Conservation Commission, the Barnstable Conservation Offices, the State D.N.R. Law Enforcement Agency, and the M.S.P.C.A. Besides these departments, Sandwich residents and organizations, like the Shawme Fish and Game Club who have been so willing to cooperate and who have made the job more pleasant for me.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS G. SILVA  
Dog and Conservation Officer



## Report of the Inspector of Animals

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich

I have investigated 22 animal bites, quarantined and later released 18 dogs and 1 pet squirrel.

I have also inspected animals and taken the census of them for the State Department of Agriculture. There is no indication of infectious or contagious disease.

Census: 46 Horses  
21 Ponies  
2 Donkeys  
9 Sheep  
4 Goats  
61 Cattle  
2 Swine

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145 Animals Inspected

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE

## Report of the Plumbing Inspector

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### **The Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts**

The year 1973 has seen a slight slackening of the pace at which Sandwich has been growing for the last few years.

There were 331 permits issued for plumbing in 1973, as compared to 348 in 1972, a decrease of approximately 5%. There were 476 inspections made at various stages of completion.

There were 324 permits for sanitary installations of underground sewage disposal as compared to 350 permits for the year 1972. This also shows a decrease of approximately 7%.

Many amendments and revisions were added to our plumbing code in 1973, the result of a long study of the needs of the industry.

As always at this time, I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all those who have been so helpful to me in the year of 1973.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. MONTAGUE, JR.

Plumbing Inspector

## Report of the Inspector of Wires

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

In reporting the activities of 1973, we wish to note that even with the cut in construction due to high interest rates and lack of mortgage money, the work load remains the same or a little more due to the larger installations—to wit—Police Station and Glass Museum.

In this year of 1973 there were 665 permits issued, of which, there were 299 complete new installations and 366 alterations. We traveled 7,028 miles to make these inspections.

Our thanks to the people at "Town Hall" for their continued assistance with all the work involved in this office.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR E. CARON,  
Inspector of Wires

## Report of the Building Inspector

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

The year 1973 was a close duplicate of the year 1972 excluding the power plant with an estimated value of \$5,000,000.00. This office issued 453 permits, an increase of 60 permits over 1972 with an estimated value of \$7,821,185.00 as against \$7,092,800.00 for 1972. There were eleven less dwelling permits, but more permits were issued for garages, additions, sun decks, etc. The largest project in the Town for the year is the 24 unit condominium and the recreation hall by Sea Lake Corporation with an estimated value of \$450,000.00 and \$175,000.00 respectively. The fees collected and paid to the Town Treasurer amounted to \$4,359.00.

Permits were issued as follows:

- 243 dwellings
- 95 additions
- 24 alterations
- 4 office buildings
- 30 garages
- 1 remodel
- 7 utility
- 49 miscellaneous

As this is my first year as Building Inspector, I am sure I made a few mistakes but with the cooperation of the several departments in the Town, they were minimized.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Selectmen for helping me over some of the hurdles; also I would like to thank former Building Inspector, Deputy Building Inspector Lester Geary for his assistance. And thanks to all the girls in the office for their cooperation, and especially Mrs. Ruth Heuse retired, for her valued help with her remarkable memory for people, street locations, and in many other ways.

Respectfully submitted

SVEN E. HANSON,  
Building Inspector



## Report of the Shellfish Constable

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### To the Board of Selectmen:

Approximately 156 hours were spent on patrol during the 1973 calendar year. Areas patrolled included Old Harbor, Spring Hill, and Scorton Creek.

The areas east of the Boardwalk Bridge to Scorton Creek were opened on Sundays only during the months of March, April, November, and December. An estimated 38 bushels of clams were harvested by 54 family permit holders.

This past June I bought 50 bushels of medium and large quahogs and planted them in the Old Harbor Area. I had also planned to plant seed clams, but was unable to purchase any. Hopefully, this year I will be able to purchase some.

Again I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen and the Conservation Officer for their support. Also I want to thank Deputies John Winslow and Richard Currier for their assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE H. MORROW,  
Shellfish Constable

## Report of the Recreation Committee

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

This years recreation program covered a wide range of areas involving many new activities.

The annual summer recreation program began with a Fourth of July parade and field day. The ("Horribles") parade in the morning was well attended with participants being awarded ribbons for finishing tops in their group events. Each participant in the field day events received free soda and a hot dog.

The summer program, which included playground activities as well as swimming instruction and canoeing, began July 5th and ran for six weeks. This program was under the direction of Mr. Silvio Tedeschi. His staff included: Cynthia Ambroseno, Jan Semonian, Maureen Fay Carne, Margaret Velsor, Gail Dooley, Paul Champagne, Barbara Lauzier and Valerie Evans.

The nature and crafts program was again a big success. Over 150 girls and boys ranging in age from 6-13 were involved in numerous art projects as well as picnics, outings, and field trips to Lincoln Park and Bassett's Wild Animal Farm.

The swimming instruction program, conducted at Lombard Park, was well attended. About 350 youngsters were involved in the swimming program during its six week period. At the conclusion of the program, all participants were invited to a swim carnival, where prizes were awarded, and free refreshments served.

The tennis program was expanded this year. A spring session was held as well as a summer session. One hundred ten participants of all levels and age groups were given instruction each Saturday morning for six weeks during the spring session. Due to the construction of the new tennis courts, the summer session was reduced from six weeks to four weeks. The instructor was Mrs. Barbara Lauzier of this town.

With the new facilities now completed, this program will expand to accommodate all age groups and levels. Future tournaments for all levels are now being planned.

The Drama Club, under the direction of Mrs. Ann Palmer, presented the play **Anything Goes**. The play ran for two week-ends and played to a capacity crowd. This program was as usual a big success thanks to a job well done by Mrs. Palmer and her cast.

Bowling was a part of the program this year and proved to be very successful once again. This program ran for six weeks. The first week the children were given free bowling lessons. Over sixty boys and girls participated in this program in which trophies and prizes were awarded to the high individual bowlers.

The recreation committee also sponsored men's soccer and women's softball teams. The soccer team, which played in the Cape Cod Amateur Soccer League, was coached by Mr. Robert Mason. Women's softball was coached by Mr. Eugene Carr.

An evening crafts course in pottery and weaving was added to the summer program this year. This course was instructed by Mr. Bruce Williams of San Diego, California.

Teen dances and rock concerts were held throughout the summer at Town Beach. These dances were very successful and well attended. They were again held in the fall at the Henry T. Wing School where nearly 300 youngsters attended each dance.

The fall Saturday morning field hockey program for girls was again under the direction of Miss Judy Rooney. This program ran for seven weeks and met for three hours each morning.

The boys soccer program was directed by Mr. Silvio Tedeschi. The boys were given instruction the first week and then divided into teams for competition for the remaining weeks. All members of the winning team received trophies.

A basketball program for women was also added to the recreational activities. All women were invited to play basketball every Thursday night from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. at the Henry T. Wing School for a period of ten weeks. This program was supervised by Mr. Silvio Tedeschi.



A Karate and Self-defense course was another addition of the recreation program this year. This course was taught by Mr. Alan Yip Choy of Hyannis. Thirty four participants were involved in the course which ran for ten weeks on Saturday afternoons from 1:30 to 3:30.

The first session of figure skating, held during the fall months was well attended. Over fifty boys and girls participated in the program, taught by Mrs. John Arnold of Duxbury, Mass. The weekly lessons were held at the Plymouth Rink and the skaters worked for badges showing the different stages of their progress. A second session is now in progress.

Sandwich Youth Hockey has tremendously increased in both participation of our youth and of many adults of this community. The interest is shown by a projected 48% increase in involvement. Considerable time and effort by team members, the coaches, managers, officers and members of the board of directors has given the town an excellent program of instructional skating.

The Recreation Committee would like to take this opportunity to thank all persons who volunteered their time to be involved with the recreation program. Special thanks to all those who chaperoned the dances, and to Mrs. Barbara Messier, who devoted much of her time in helping Miss Valerie Evans with the crafts and nature program.

Respectfully submitted,

SILVIO TEDESCHI, Director  
 LYDIA BORJESON, Co-Chairman  
 ROBERTA LEYDON, Co-Chairman  
 RAYMOND HART  
 ROBERT MESSIER  
 ROBERT WALSH  
 PATRICIA McARDLE



## Park Department

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### To the Honorable Selectmen:

The Park Department, its responsibilities ever growing, had a very busy year in 1973. The Town's acquisition of new land for Conservation and Recreation purposes will add new places for the citizens of Sandwich to enjoy. The largest piece acquired, the Ryder property located on Wakeby Pond in South Sandwich, will have a large beach area to alleviate the overcrowded Snake Pond area.

I would especially like to mention the Sandwich Landscape Council and the excellent job they have done of planting shrubs, etc., in the parks and road islands around Town. I am sure these plantings will be a welcome sight and improvement when they blossom in the spring.

The Boy Scouts also deserve praise, once again, for distributing the old Christmas trees on the beaches to help retard erosion from the wind. This is a never ending battle trying to preserve the beaches we have.

I would like to thank the Selectmen for their advice and cooperation during the year, which is always so helpful. I would also like to thank all the citizens of Sandwich who worked to make this Town cleaner and better than last year.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND THAYER,  
Park Foreman

## Department of Veterans' Services

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### District Board:

CARL HILER, Sandwich  
MARTIN HOXIE, Barnstable  
CHARLES EAGER, Yarmouth  
JOSEPH MERCHANT, Dennis  
RANDOLPH PETERS, Mashpee

I hereby submit my 1973 annual report of the District Department Veterans Services.

For the town of Sandwich this Department spent \$44,674.82 on Veterans Benefits which includes ordinary living expenses, medical and nursing homes. This total was based on 26 cases which were aided.

Besides aiding veterans and their dependents in a financial manner, this department shall assist them in furnishing such information, advice and assistance to enable them to procure the vocational and other opportunities such as education, hospitalization, medical care, pensions, compensation, and any other veterans benefits. A total of 6,072 people availed themselves during 1973; also this office handled 5,355 incoming telephone calls.

Included in this is a report from Investigator, Sidney L. Chase, as follows:

"As the District's Investigator, my primary job is to make regular reports on all cases on Veterans Benefits; semi-annual reports on all permanent cases and monthly visits on all temporary cases. For the calendar year 1973, there were 36 home investigations; 14 permanent cases, 22 temporary cases.

My other duties are to assist Mr. Cross with Veterans services work and any other daily problems that arise from the 6,072 that availed themselves of our office during 1973."

As the Director and agent, I wish to thank Mrs. Josephine Angell, my principal secretary; and Mrs. Florence Bell, my

medical secretary, for their outstanding work throughout the year. Also, I thank the Board of Selectmen and their various Town departments for their splendid cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. CROSS,  
Director and Agent

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## Little Baseball League

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I would like to begin this report by publicly thanking the members of the Board of Directors, especially Mr. Louis Govoni, Mr. Paul Menneet, and Mr. Robert Messier, for the outstanding job they did in seeing that the League functioned while I was incapacitated.

The recommendations contained in the 1972 report were implemented during the 1973 season. The league established a Board of Directors, organized itself into three units: Major, Farm, and Squirts, scheduled all games during the week and in the early evening hours, and arranged the schedule so that League play would be terminated by July 15th.

Looking back on the season I see many improvements in the League, yet as is inevitable I see areas that are deficient. Two major areas are in some ways related. There is a noticeable lack of adult spectators at the League games. This may be the result of inadequate seating facilities at the field and could be overcome by the purchase of bleachers. Knowing very well that many parents have conflicting schedules during the summertime I am nevertheless asking that you make an effort to go to the games and support your children as they learn the fundamentals of team play.

Once again the town was fortunate to have the services of many talented men in the coaching ranks. I would like to point out that these men all volunteer their time and skills so that our youth might benefit. A special thanks to the following:



Orioles: Mr. Arthur Kingsbury, Mr. Richard Leydon  
 Red Sox: Mr. Walter Bridges, Mr. Michael Robbins  
 Twins: Mr. Paul Mennett, Mr. Jeffrey Walker  
 Yankees: Mr. Robert Cahoon, Mr. Paul George  
 Giants: Mr. Donald Destremps, Mr. Walter Fagnant  
 Mets: Mr. Ron Simpson  
 Squirts: Mr. Richard DeConto, Mr. Louis Govoni, Mr.  
 Henry Lawrence, Mr. William O'Neil

The League Championship was won by the Orioles with a record of 12-6. The second place team was the Twins with a record of 9-9. These two teams were given trophies at the awards picnic.

As in the past years the League formed an All Star team to represent the community in two post season tournaments. The team coached by Mr. Robert Cahoon, Mr. Paul Mennett, and Mr. Jeff Walker entered the West Bridgewater and Barnstable Tournaments.

The Farm and Squirts units of the League worked on an informal basis with the emphasis being placed on the fundamentals of baseball. All concerned felt that the season was productive as well as enjoyable.

The season culminated with a picnic at Lombard Park. At this activity the boys were given their awards and treated to a picnic cooked by the members of the Board. Each boy was given an award for participating in the program. Trophies were presented to the League Champions and second place team. Individual awards went to the following boys:

Bruce Kingsbury: Most Valuable Player  
 Batting Championship

Michael Finerty ) Best Pitchers

Larry Shell )

With the picnic over the Sandwich Little Baseball League marked the end of another successful season. I would like to express my sincere thanks to the citizens of Sandwich for the support which they have so generously given over the years.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND B. HART

Director, Board of Directors

MR. LOUIS GOVONI

MR. ROBERT MESSIER

MR. PAUL MENNETT

MR. PAUL SHELL

Board of Directors



## Report of the Veterans' Graves Officer

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts**

With the able assistance of the members of the Clark-Haddad Post #188 American Legion, the flags were placed at the grave-sites at the various Cemeteries in the Town before Memorial Day.

As each Cemetery has a listing of names of the Veterans we mark off each name as we flag the site. We are only human, and if we have overlooked someone's grave-site who should be honored, please let us know and it will be corrected.

Shortly after the 4th of July the flags are removed as they are quite faded from the sun and rain.

The flags had to be replaced at the Cemetery in South Sandwich as they had been taken by persons unknown.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. CURRIER,  
Veterans Graves Officer

## Report of the Civil Defense Director

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,  
Sandwich, Mass.**

The Annual Report of the Sandwich Civil Defense Agency is submitted herewith.

During the past year this agency has supplied several items of first aid equipment for the Sandwich Rescue unit.

Attention is called to the fact that the present CD Rescue truck should soon be replaced with a larger heavy duty vehicle. If and when a unit suitable for local requirements becomes available under a program of matching funds, its purchase will be recommended.

In early December, the Director of Civil Defense was named Home Heating Assistance Officer for the town. This was in line with the suggestion of the State Director to involve CD personnel throughout the state to be of assistance in the present fuel crisis. The basic responsibility involves the handling of consumer complaints concerning home heating fuels.

I take this opportunity to thank Mr. Edward W. Osgood, Jr. Civil Defense Sector Director and town officials, departments and organizations for their help and cooperation in carrying on the day to day activities of Sandwich Civil Defense.

Respectfully submitted,

W. GORDON SWAN,  
Director of Civil Defense

## Director's Report of the Old Hoxie House

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It was a busy summer! Guests visiting here had a tendency to stay longer than ever before—enjoying more than one tour.

One great addition to the Old Hoxie House is a Burglar Alarm! All of you will be very pleased to know that this alarm is super sensitive and will call help immediately when disturbed.

Our tours remain the same, continous throughout the day. The furniture and furnishings are in excellent condition—properly tended each day. The many comments about them are always pleasant.

My assistants, Mrs. Walter Hilliard and Mrs. Alfred Hoey, join me in thanking you for any aid you gave us this past season, especially those of you who loan their priceless pieces for exhibit.

Do remember taxpayers and local residents, the Old Hoxie House is your house to visit!

See your next summer?

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE  
(Mrs. Charles G. Whitmore)

# Report of the Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission

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Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

## COMMISSION'S ACTIVITIES—1973

Established "for the purpose of improving, developing and protecting the resources" of Barnstable County, the Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission has continued to vigorously pursue these goals during 1973.

The year's events have demonstrated a growing recognition on both the state and federal level that many issues must be resolved on a regional basis. Developing and protecting our resources have become issues of national proportions spurring myriad legislative proposals. In many instances these measures propose a regional approach to resource management. On Cape Cod, the groundwork has already been laid to meet these growing regional demands.

As the regional planning agency for Cape Cod, CCPEDC has involved itself in those critical problems that face the Cape as a whole, rather than those local problems that confront each of the 15 separate towns. Preservation of open space, determining the quantity and quality of the ground water supply, managing solid waste, providing adequate housing, meeting transportation needs—these and many others are the day to day concerns of the Planning Commission.

The Commission's primary task, as an advisory body, is in providing information, professional expertise and viable recommendations needed by the towns to effectively deal with regional problems. While the Commission offers this assistance, it is ultimately the town voters and their elected representatives that must take the necessary action to deal with these vitally important issues.



## **Preservation of Open Space**

One of the Commission's major priorities is preserving the Cape's most vital natural resource—its unique natural beauty. The Cape's environmental quality and rural charm are the basis of its two major sources of income, tourism and construction.

Throughout the Cape, rapidly expanding development has alarmed many residents, but a number of towns have responded with ambitious open space acquisition plans. In some cases, however, acquisition efforts have been concentrated in only one or two large areas. A system of neighborhood parks or preserved areas could provide physical or visual access for every member of the community. The Commission has presented this neighborhood open space plan through a series of maps illustrating how the concept might work in each town. This proposed approach could involve 15,000 acres in addition to those areas that are now publicly protected.

The Commission has also recommended that open spaces be protected privately through Open Space Villages. Most Cape towns now have some form of Open Space Village or Cluster Zoning Bylaw, but for the most part developers have not utilized these bylaws. In an effort to increase understanding and utilization of the Open Space Village concept, the Commission sponsored a 6-week workshop at Cape Cod Community College this past fall. Some 80 real estate brokers, planning board members, developers, engineers and surveyors attended the sessions to learn the planning process involved in designing an Open Space Village.

The largest area of open space remaining on Cape Cod is Otis Air Force Base - Camp Edwards. Commission representatives have actively participated in the Otis Task Force since the group was formed last spring. The Commission has recommended that the 20,000 acres of Otis be placed under local control to assure home rule.

## **Improving Per Capita Income and Job Opportunities**

While the Cape's economy is dependent on the preservation of its rural character, the tourist and construction industries alone are not providing adequate employment for Cape residents.

Both tourism and construction are subject to seasonal fluctuations, and the average per capita income on the Cape has long been below the state average. In recent months high mortgage rates have severely restricted construction activity throughout the Cape. To make matters worse, gasoline shortages pose a potential threat to the tourist industry. The already poor employment picture may continue to deteriorate in the coming months.

The Commission has recommended the establishment of a Jobs Development Corporation and Finance Authority to provide alternative job opportunities for Cape residents, particularly for the Cape's young people. A Jobs Development Corporation could recruit compatible job producing businesses to the Cape. In the past, Commission support for such a project was based on the knowledge that new jobs must be created to replace those in construction as buildable land diminishes. Current economic indicators, however, demonstrate an urgent need for concerted long-term efforts to maintain and improve the Cape's economic base.

To accommodate increased business activity, strategically located "employment districts" must be set aside, preferably near controlled access highways to maintain traffic flow. The Commission has suggested eight potential locations for such "employment districts" to be developed and managed by public non-profit corporations under Chapter 121C of the Massachusetts General Laws.

In addition, the Commission has encouraged the development of the Cape's resource potential in such areas as the shellfish industry. A Shellfish Advisory Committee was formed this year comprised of representatives of the Cape's shellfish wardens, shellfishermen, and experts on shellfish culture. The group will explore the feasibility of expanding the shellfish industry to provide increased job opportunities.

The Commission staff continues to consult with the Overall Economic Development Committees in Provincetown, Truro and Bourne in their efforts to improve problems of severe unemployment in these towns.

### **Determining Water Quantity and Quality**

We know that economically the Cape has difficulty in adequately supporting its population, but the ability of the

Cape's water supply to support its population is still unknown. The United States Geological Survey's preliminary study of "Cape Cod's Ground Water Resource" will provide the first step in obtaining this critical information. Scheduled for completion in early 1974, the study has gathered all available information in the form of a computer model. The preliminary model will determine what additional information is needed to predict the Cape's water supply capability in supporting a given population. The final model will be able to predict what impact further development in each town will have on that area's water supply. The completion of the second phase of this study is considered crucial to sound planning for the Cape as a whole.

### **Solid Waste Disposal**

Like water, solid waste disposal problems intensify with a growing population. State law prohibits burning of solid waste in Massachusetts and all 15 Cape Cod towns utilize sanitary landfill methods to dispose of their solid waste. (Wellfleet, however incinerates most of its solid waste.) Sanitary landfill requirements create a number of problems, particularly for Cape towns. The Commission has submitted recommendations that can help towns meet their sanitary landfill needs in the future. Most recently, the Commission has initiated efforts to develop methods for recycling and reclamation of solid waste on a regional basis.

### **Seeking Adequate Housing**

The Cape's seasonal economy creates certain pressures on all Cape residents, but for those in need of year-round housing, these pressures may become hardship. The Commission's housing policy supports the state's "705" rental housing plan and the federal "235" home ownership plan for families in need. These plans subsidize the families, not the builders. In addition, the Commission provided all town officials with information on installation of utilities underground and the uniform building code. In recent months, a number of Cape towns have utilized the Commission's staff assistance and information resources in meeting federal Flood Insurance Requirements.



## **Meeting Transportation Needs**

Getting around the Cape without a car is not an easy task in either winter or summer. The Cape Cod Joint Transportation Committee was formed this year to establish priorities of transportation need, develop plans, and pursue means of implementing action proposals. Comprised of two representatives from each Cape town and representatives from concerned groups, the Joint Transportation Committee will be working closely with a professional transportation planning consultant who recently joined the CCPEDC staff. Funds to hire the planner were provided by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works.

The planner's first responsibility, in view of the energy crisis, is to make all necessary arrangements for alternative transportation facilities should the use of private vehicles become severely limited. He will seek to maintain freight and air service to the Cape and to develop transportation plans to provide for ease of movement within the County for all residents, the aged, handicapped and low income. He will also study means to remedy traffic hazards on Route 28, and to maintain ease of access to the Cape from off-Cape locations.

## **Land Use and Regional Goals**

One of the Commission's most comprehensive year-long projects led to the development of the first phase of a regional land use mapping system. The many maps involved illustrate a means of considering the various social, economic and physical attributes involved in attaining certain regional goals adopted by the Commission. The mapping system is not designed to act as a "master plan" for land use but rather to guide local officials when making decisions which are regional in nature.

## **Revitalizing County Government**

Increasing awareness of resource management on federal, state and local levels is creating new challenges and demands on the regional level of government. Particularly in the area of development control, an acute problem for the



Cape, there is a need for an effective mechanism for controlling development of regional concern. After researching various land use control mechanisms, the Commission determined that with certain revision, county government could provide the most responsive and efficient means of providing local control in meeting these demands. The Commission's Modernization of County Government Committee studied previous reorganization proposals and consulted with state, regional and local public officials in its months of work. Based on the Committee's recommendations, the Commission submitted legislation to the General Court to establish a county legislature that would give Cape Cod residents a controlling voice in the structure and responsibilities of county government. The Commission hopes that its innovative approach will spark the community support necessary to initiate constructive county revision.

### **Assisting Local Governments**

Hundreds of calls for information come into the Commission's office each year. A growing number of these calls come from towns seeking technical assistance on specific problems. While the Commission staff assisted towns in many cases, it has not been able to devote adequate time to this service. In response to these growing requests, the Commission plans to include a community assistance program in this year's Overall Work Program.

Not only can this service be of help to towns, but in addition, it can provide the Commission with a broader perspective of town needs and desires. Determining local needs is not a simple process and in the coming year the Commission will work through such methods as surveys, citizen panels, regional meetings, etc. This effort will hopefully focus what are now concerns into constructive regional action.

Respectfully submitted,

**E. NORMAN FITZGERALD**  
Chairman, CCPEDC

## Report of the School Building Committee

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### To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

Briefly to review in sequence the work of the School Building Committee during 1973 is an almost impossible challenge, but I will try to do so, in order that the town records may be as complete as possible.

In a period of eight months — between April 1 and November 5, 1973 — this committee met formally on more than thirty occasions, and moved from the appointment of a new architect to the overwhelming approval of its plans by the citizens of the town, and subsequently to the breaking of ground for our new community schools. There is no effective way to assess accurately the number of hours that committee members spent outside of scheduled meetings.

So, to all of the members of the Sandwich School Building Committee, Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Mr. Frank Bess, Mr. Walter Fagnant, and especially to Vice-Chairman William R. Hendy, I want more than anything else to express by means of this report my personal thanks, and with it, I am sure, the sincere appreciation of a very grateful community. My sincere thanks and appreciation are also expressed to Mr. Howard Crowell, who resigned in March, for his years of service as Co-Chairman of the School Building Committee. To the Sandwich School Committee members and to Mr. Elton Smith of the School Building Assistance Bureau, all of us on the School Building Committee would further record our very strongest thanks. However, this report would not be complete without especially thanking our tireless and dedicated superintendent, Dr. Anthony D'Antuono, for his time, efforts, and invaluable assistance and recommendations in dealing with the problems which have confronted us in fulfilling our duties as a Building Committee.

On March 23, 1973, after very careful study and long discussion, the committee voted unanimously to terminate the agreement between Warren Ashley Associates, Architects, and the Town of Sandwich, even with the possibility of court action. This difficult decision was made necessarily,

we believe, in the best interests of the town, both as relates to the **cost** of our school building program, and as relates to the mounting pressures of **time** resulting from our now critically overcrowded schools.

Two days later, on March 29, 1973, the committee began to interview seven possible new architects, and on April 2, 1973, the firm of Drummey, Rosane, and Anderson of Wellesley, Massachusetts, was retained as the new architect for both the Junior-Senior High School, and for the renovations, alterations, and additions to the existing Henry T. Wing School. The rapid progress made since this appointment is in itself a testimony to the fine communication and co-operation maintained consistently by the new architects, for which the committee and all others concerned are most relieved, as well as grateful.

Immediately thereafter, on April 5, 1973, a Tentative Time Schedule was adopted, with a May 4th target date for the presentation of complete plans to the School Building Assistance Bureau of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. With only minor interruptions, this Time Table was followed to its successful climax at the November Town Meeting — an accomplishment for which we feel justifiably proud.

Forthwith, plans were made to complete architectural designs, to determine funding options, and to develop educational and informational brochures. At a joint meeting of the School Building Committee with the Board of Selectmen and the members of the Finance Committee on April 16, 1973, a full discussion of our plans and procedures was provided, so that all town government officials could become fully informed of our activities and ambitions. A little more than a month later, on May 23, 1973, the first of many meetings with Mr. Elton Smith of the School Building Assistance Bureau was held. Within the same week, Sandwich Police and Fire Chiefs and the Department of Public Health were consulted for the benefit of their advice and counsel, as well as for the purpose of informing these officials as to our plans. Full study and discussion led to our decision by the end of June to include construction of a swimming pool in our proposal to the town.

During the summer our committee meetings continued to be held regularly, with the result that we were ready to open for construction bids by September 4, 1973. On September 25 a suggested article and motion for school projects was



drafted for a Town Meeting Warrant. Thereafter, until the Town Meeting on November 5, 1973, all of the members of our committee, together with members of the School Committee, and School Administration officials, became available for an uncounted number of gatherings of citizens' groups and interested individuals. We wanted to be sure that any and all concerned persons be informed of our community educational needs and proposals. Bid figures were completed on October 29, 1973, and final approval of all of our plans and proposals was voted unanimously by the committee on October 31, 1973. Franchi Brothers Construction Corporation, Auburndale, Mass., was the low bidder on the high school project with a bid of \$8,283,000. J. W. Prout Company, West Roxbury, Mass., submitted the low bid of \$2,060,547 on the elementary project. Upon the advice of General Counsel, Department of Labor and Industries, Boston, the contract for the elementary school project was awarded to the second low bidder, Wexler Construction Company, Newton, Mass., in the amount of \$2,247,814.

The task of the School Building Committee is far from being finished, of course. In many respects that task has just begun. But thanks to so many meetings and to all the additional time and effort expended, "the school of tomorrow," as a CAPE COD STANDARD-TIMES editorial expressed it, is already becoming a reality today. Our committee hopes that its performance in the past year will provide every needed assurance of our intention to see to it that the Town of Sandwich will soon have the best possible **community school** facilities for the lowest possible dollar cost of any town anywhere. To this end, all of us who have been appointed to serve our town on this very urgently needed committee, rededicate ourselves. We look forward confidently to the continuation of the completely open kind of communication and cooperation which has marked this last year of significant accomplishment. We know that when our work is completed, it will be a testimony for many to the possibilities of people working together for the common good of all of the citizens of a community.

Respectfully submitted,

STANLEY A. TORREY, Chairman



## Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

Through research, the Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee has learned that Mr. Burgess was very proud of the fact that he was born in Sandwich. Throughout his entire lifetime he referred to himself as a "Cape Codder". This quote from a magazine article by Mr. Burgess reflects this:

"I was born in Sandwich and received my education in the Sandwich schools, graduating in the class of 1891. This was as far as my schooling extended, so that what ever ability I may possess as a writer is to the credit of the schools of the little Cape Cod town. It is a matter of personal pride that I am strictly a Cape Cod product. That may be of no particular credit to the Cape, but it is a source of great satisfaction to me."

The Town of Sandwich has reason to feel extremely proud of this nationally and even internationally known native son. Through the Centennial activities the town has the opportunity to express this pride.

The committee has taken direction in their planning for the Centennial, from the outstanding contribution Thornton W. Burgess made, through his many books, articles, and stories for children, to the fields of conservation and wildlife preservation.

A living tribute to Mr. Burgess was the purchase of Mr. Burgess's Old Briar Patch. This received national recognition in **Time** magazine.

The plans for the Centennial Celebration in Sandwich show the first event was the reading of the Proclamation by Mr. Carl Hiler and a birthday party for the entire 635 elementary school children on January 14, 1974, the birthday of Mr. Burgess. Other events will lead to the 3 day celebration, August 8, 9, and 10th. At that time there will be a pet show out on by the Sandwich Police Wives Club and the Animal

Rescue League of Boston, parade sponsored by the Sandwich Junior Women's Club, original musical written by the John Houston's to be produced by the Sandwich Summer Recreation Program, Exhibits and displays at the Sandwich Library and the Glass Museum, Contests by the Sandwich Garden Club and others, Walk-a-tour of Sandwich by 6 grade students of Sandwich, Opening of the Briar Patch Nature Trails by the Massachusetts Audubon Society, and the Centennial Tribute. The Key speaker will be Mr. Richard H. Pough, nationally known conservationist. Other invited guests include Gov. Sargent and the president of Little, Brown, and Co. publishers.

Jimmy Skunk, Peter Rabbit, and Reddy Fox appear on note paper for the occasion, available at \$1.50 a box. The committee has also arranged to sell Tee-shirts and a Cut-n-Stuff Peter and Mrs. Peter Rabbit. **The Cape Cod Story of Thornton W. Burgess**, by Russell A. Lovell, Jr. will be published for the town by the committee and available in May. 500 hard cover limited edition, signed by the author, sold by prepublication subscription for \$10. each and the soft cover edition at \$2.95. After the town has been reimbursed, all profits realized will be used for a suitable memorial to Thornton W. Burgess.

We solicit the support and encourage all to participate fully.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY E. TITCOMB, Chairman  
 ROSANNA W. CULLITY  
 ELIZABETH G. PHILLIPS  
 W. GORDON SWAN  
 RUSSELL A. LOVELL, JR.

## Report of the Board of Appeals

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**To the Honorable Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich  
Sandwich, Mass.**

This has been a most active year for the Board of Appeals. The board has had hearings on just about every second and fourth Tuesday every month; totaling 112.

There were 25 meeting nights, with 108 different petitions heard. Eighty-five of these were Special Permits. These were for 4 contractors yards, 4 cluster developments, 1 condominium, 4 office buildings, 11 retail businesses, 1 antique shop, 2 recreation buildings, 1 kennel, 1 pizza and sub shop, 1 veal operation, 1 mobile home extension and some 54 primarily for building on land under 10 foot elevation, within 300 feet from the mean sea level adjoining a marshland or a pond. Of these 76 were granted, 7 denied and 2 denied without prejudice.

The rest of the hearings consisted of 23 variances, fourteen of which were granted, 6 denied, 2 denied without prejudice, and 1 withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ROBERTI, Chairman



## Report of the Board of Health

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of Sandwich:

The following is a report of the Board of Health for 1973.

The town has continued to grow at a rapid pace. The development of land and housing has continued nearly as much as in 1972. The latter half of 1973 produced somewhat of a slowdown due to various crises of the country. Materials were scarce in the building trades and prices of the materials were high. Interest rates continued to rise. All these factors produced a slowdown of development in general.

New regulations of the Board pertaining to wells and sewage disposal systems have helped to proceed with building in a more orderly manner. These regulations have had the effect of protecting home owners from possible contamination of wells on lots adjacent to one another, especially in those areas outside the water district.

The acquisition of land by the Town and the Conservation Commission will help to protect the swamp and marsh areas from development. Some of these areas are marginal at best and could not sustain proper sewage disposal systems. The Board congratulates the Town for their efforts in this area.

The efforts of the Planning Board have been appreciated by the Board. With 20,000, 40,000 and 60,000 ft. lots, the chance of pollution from sewage disposal systems has been minimized.

The chief concern in this area is within the village or R-20 area. A 20,000 ft. lot is sufficient to sustain a sanitary system except in those area near a stream, pond, lake or adjacent to a marsh. We are concerned about this problem in the future. The Board therefore wants to go on record again; that is, we want some immediate progress made on a municipal sewage system designed to include these areas presently served by the water district. According to statistics, sewage systems generally follow the water system in 10 years. This Town is considerably backward in this endeavor.



The disposal area continues to be a problem to the Board. It is true we do not receive many complaints. However, we must, by State Law, up-grade this area as quickly as possible. This of course will necessitate some changes and most of all money will have to be spent in the operation and planning of this facility.

The co-operation of all the citizens is solicited and expected in these endeavors if we are to progress in our goal toward a clean and safe community.

As in the past, we again recommend to the Seelctmen that they proceed to help the Board in accomplishing our goal of a sanitary landfill disposal area and consider implementing a sewage system for the town.

In 1973 the Board helped with the Rabies Vaccine Clinic. We are prepared to continue this in 1974.

The Board assisted with the Flu Vaccine program together with the Town Nurse. We will continue this effort again in 1974.

#### **Elected Officials**

Robert H. Ellis, Chairman	Term expires 1974
Allan Peterson, Vice-Chairman	" " 1975
Robert McKillop, Clerk	" " 1976

#### **Appointed by the Board of Health**

John H. Lewis	Medical Consultant
Miss Esther Howes	Health Officer
	Director—Barnstable County Board of Health
Leo H. Decoteau	Sanitarian
	Barnstable County Board of Health
Edward F. Montague	Inspector of Plumbing and Sanitary Installation
Mrs. Hilda Whitmore	Inspector of Animals
James J. George	Caretaker—Disposal Area
Victor Coppola	Asst. Caretaker—Disposal Area

#### **Licenses and Permits Issued 1973**

Methyl Alcohol License	2
Recreation Camps—Overnight Camps—Hostels—	
Trailer Camps—Tent Camps—Summer Trailer Camps	39
Garbage—Offal and Pumping Cesspool Permits	18
Funeral Directors License	2
Sanitation Installer Permits	22

Swimming Pool License	6
Sanitation Permits to Install Septic Systems	324
Food Service Establishment Permits	28
Burial Certificates	7
Plumbing Permits	331
Complaints Investigated	63
International Travel Certificates	23
Subdivisions Investigated	21

The Board appreciates the assistance and cooperation of all Town officials, — the Selectmen and the other Department heads. Special thanks to the Barnstable County Board of Health.

#### **Mosquito Control**

The Cape Cod Mosquito Control Project, under the control of Mr. Oscar Doane Jr., continues to have our thanks for clearing the marsh area and swamp areas.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. ELLIS, Chairman  
ALLAN PETERSON, Vice Chairman  
ROBERT McKILLOP, Clerk

## Report of the Public Health Nurse

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and  
Citizens of the Town of Sandwich**

Submitted below is my ninth Annual Report as Public Health Nurse for the Town of Sandwich.

Skilled nursing care, maternity care, health teaching, and health supervision for the townspeople in their own home or through office visits are the ever present responsibilities and routine service of the Public Health Nurses.

However, many people do not realize another everyday function of the nurses is social work which entails: 1. finding financial help for people in times of illness 2. helping the elderly stay in their own homes with outside assistance, instead of being institutionalized 3. working with the Child Protective Agency, Division of Child Guidance, Division of the Blind, and other similar agencies.

The Nursing Department is a referral center for social, emotional, and health problems.

Working in conjunction with the Board of Health, a new service was offered this year, the Flu Immunization Clinic. The Barnstable County Hospital OPD was very kind in allowing Sandwich to use their facilities. The Board of Health and the Nursing Agency provided necessary supplies. Over one hundred people partook of this service and as it was so successful we hope to make it an annual service.

Although the occurrence of communicable diseases has been steadily reduced because of statewide immunization programs sporadic cases are reported to the Board of Health. The Public Health Nurses assist the Board of Health with the special follow-up visits that are warranted to determine if the vaccine was given or if it was not given, the reasons why the vaccine was not received. It has been recommended that children who received measles vaccine under the age of one be given a booster injection as several measles cases are reported in this particular group of children.

During the year, the nurses have served in an advisory capacity and have participated in many of the health pro-



grams sponsored by various town organizations such as FISH, Lion's Club, Red Cross, Salvation Army, Sandwich Health Association, Sandwich Junior Woman's Club, and Sandwich Woman's Club. These organizations have done a great deal in providing health and welfare services for the people in Sandwich.

Another new service, the Geriatric Counseling Program, was offered this year to the Senior Citizens. On the fourth Wednesday of each month, the nurse spends the afternoon at the Friendship Center doing health teaching and supervision. A short program is presented at these sessions pertaining to a particular health subject such as Heart, Cancer, and Body Mechanics. Written policies were approved by town physicians and are given below:

### **Geriatric Counseling Program**

#### **Objectives:**

1. To foster positive health practices that will maximize independence.
2. To motivate persons to seek medical attention when their condition warrants it.
3. To assure return to and maintenance of health through counseling consistent with physician's recommendation.

#### **Methodology In Counseling Sessions:**

1. Transmit to patient assurance regarding health practices that he is successfully carrying out.
2. Appraise learning needs regarding hygiene, diet, medical follow-up.
3. Teach and guide persons in individual adjustments to improve total health situation.
4. Observe for clues indicating medical attention.
5. Follow-up on medical recommendations with interpretation.

#### **Methodology In Home Visits for Follow-up:**

1. Encourage medically prescribed recommendations to be carried out.

### **Standing Orders**

Health teaching should include:

1. Advising patient to have own doctor and regular check-up.
2. Guidance regarding prescribed medication and doctor's recommendations.



3. Diet instruction.
4. Keep brief health information data on individuals being seen.
5. Advising medical instructions following appointments.
6. Reinforcing medical instructions following appointments.
7. Referring patients to social agencies for existent financial or related problems.

Visiting Nurse may check the following on the individual's initial visit to health counseling session:

1. Weight 2. Blood Pressure 3. Temperature 4. Pulse 5. Respiration 6. Urine testing for sugar/albumin 7. Report to individual's M.D. any acute condition.

On subsequent visits to health session:

1. Visiting Nurse to obtain orders from patient's physician regarding repeat urine test.
2. Written orders to repeat blood pressure, p.r.n.
3. Report to individual's M.D. all acute conditions.

### **ADVISORY BOARD**

The purpose of the Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency Advisory Board is clearly stated in the Bylaws that were adopted at the December board meeting:

#### **ARTICLE II PURPOSE:**

The Board shall be advisory to the Selectmen of Sandwich and the Town Nurse. It shall insure quality, skilled nursing care in Sandwich. It shall evaluate the services provided and recommend additional services or improvement of present services.

The Advisory Board has held four meetings this year and the Public Health Nurses appreciate the time and effort board members have given in performing their purpose and duties in an outstanding manner.

In closing this report, the cooperation and consideration of the Board of Selectmen, Department, Organizations, Volunteers, and townspeople have truly been appreciated. Thank you for all the help you have given to the Public Health Nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. SILVA, R.N.  
Public Health Nurse

# STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

## CONFERENCES

10 Well Child Conferences	235 attended
13 Well Woman Conferences	113 attended
1 Pre-School Conference	37 attended

## IMMUNIZATIONS

DPT 1, 2, 3	34	Rubella	39
DPT Boosters	30	Mumps	49
Oral Polio 1, 2, 3	58	Tine Tests	68
Oral Polio Boosters	41	Smallpox	3
Measles	39		

## NURSING VISITS

	Office	Field	Total
Cases Admitted	12	160	172
Revisits	67	1,495	1,562
Not Home		30	30
Total Visits	79	1,685	1,764
Disease Control	1,107	Health Promotion	586
Maternity	41	Not Home	30

## MEDICARE

Cases Admitted	14		
Revisits	175	Total Visits	189

(Medicare visits are included in Nursing Visits)

## HOMEMAKER — HOME HEALTH AIDES

No. of patients having Home Health Aides	5
Hours Home Health Aides worked	1502.5 hrs.

## PHYSICAL THERAPY

Cases admitted	8	Revisits	40	Total Visits	48
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## NURSES ACTIVITIES

### Public Health Nurse

Conferences & Consultations	54	Record Reviews	2
In-Service Education	26	Bloodmobile	2
Meetings	16	Eyemobile	2
Friendship Center	7	Rescreening	1
Recertification Reviews	2	Mileage	6,225
Patient Transportation	14		

### Substitute/Part Time Nurse

Conferences & Consultations	3	Friendship Center	1
In-Service Education	10	Record Reviews	2
Meetings	1		

## Report of the Barnstable County Health Department

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There has been increased service in all program areas. The stimulation and challenge of change has led us to the need to assess and review existing programs and to modify our efforts and then expand in other areas.

The addition of a new position, laboratory technician, has enabled the staff in environmental health to carry out more procedures — testing of more water samples, milk samples, shellfish samples, and to offer more time in consultation to health agents. The community is asking for more information about the immunization and recommendations for travellers, for the elderly, for children, and for information and reassurance about insect-borne diseases and food-borne disease outbreaks. This year the threat of mosquito born eastern viral encephalitis was high-lighted, but no cases occurred in this area, and a tick-borne disease rarely occurring in humans was reported in a neighboring area. Less dramatic but of continued importance is maintenance of the tuberculosis register and guidance in the epidemiological follow-up of 8 newly diagnosed cases. The Massachusetts Department of Public Health has provided a part-time nurse epidemiologist for the control of venereal disease in the County. She shares office space with us. Participation has continued in a research study of the content of fluoride in tooth enamel in certain children who do not drink fluoridated water. Priority has been given to education, evaluation and to some fluoride treatments for pre-school and primary children. A college premedical sophomore spent an intersession extern period with us, observing the work of various disciplines. Two physical therapy senior students had a field placement experience in public health practice. The students in the Upper Cape Regional Vocational Technical School program for licensed practical nurses each observed in the Handicapped Childrens Clinic as part of their pediatric experience. The summer sanitary inspector was a junior student majoring in public health.



In cooperation with the Cape Cod Community College Nursing Program a project has been initiated at the college and supported by sizable grants from two private sources. This project is a health resources center to be available at the college for the use of health career personnel for their own continuing education as well as for use in patient teaching.

Supervision and monthly educational programs are presented to the 63 public health nurses in the county, and several workshops have been presented to health agents. Consultation to schools has been offered as requested, for the assessment of health services, and in planning for the implementation of Chapter 766 law.

The staff of the Handicapped Childrens Clinic has redesigned records and some procedures. There are now more than 300 children under care — a few with minimal but more with multiple handicaps. Communication has been stressed with the referring physician, parents, and schools, the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission and many social agencies. Assistance to preschools and schools is being offered, as special plans are being developed by schools for children with special needs as required by September 1974.

In the area of medical social work, data collection has begun with an epidemiological approach. Considerable effort is being made to analyze the extent of resources available to children and to the elderly. Coordination and consultation services are being provided for agencies preparing for and providing health care services at home.

Staff are encouraged to participate in their own professional association activities and with health related agencies, such as the Comprehensive Health Planning Area Council, Nurse Directors Committee, Southeastern Massachusetts Family Planning Council, Cape Cod and Islands Committee of United Cerebral Palsy, Heart Association, Cancer Society, Lung Association, Associated Boards of Health, advisory committees of Home Health Agencies.

We wish to acknowledge the fact that the new laboratory and the new equipment, the re-decorated office areas, and twice as much space have contributed to high morale of the staff.



## 1973 Department personnel included:

Esther G. Howes, R.N., M.N., M.S. County Health Officer  
 and Certified Health Officer  
 Ruth J. Alvezi, Principal Clerk  
 Willie Jane Angus, Assistant Medical Social Worker  
 Mary L. Casey, R.N., M.P.H., Public Health Nurse Di-  
 rector II  
 Alice A. Dalzell, Public Health Dental Hygienist  
 Leo H. Decoteau, R.S., B.A. Public Health Sanitarian and  
 Certified Health Officer  
 Mary E. Dwyer, Senior Clerk  
 \*Mildred M. Gillis, C.S.W., B.A., Medical Social Worker  
 Stetson R. Hall, R.S., B.S. Public Health Sanitarian  
 Carol M. Hunter, Head Clerk  
 Sandra B. Jones, Laboratory Technician  
 Hazel Keith, R.N., M.S. Public Health Nurse Director I  
 Elizabeth Maginnis, A.C.S.W., Medical Social Worker  
 Marion Malinowski, R.N. Epidemiologist  
 Joan Satkiewicz, Junior Clerk  
 Richard M. Sturtevant, R.S., M.S. Public Health Sanitarian  
 Florence M. Whiteley, R.P.T., B.S. Public Health  
 Physical Therapist  
 Judy Zall, Sanitary Inspector, part time

\*Resigned

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER G. HOWES  
 County Health Officer

## Report of the Council on Aging

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**Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich  
Sandwich, Mass. 02563**

The Council on Aging has had an extremely busy year and have extended to the elderly residents of our Town every available assistance within their ability to provide a better life for them during their leisure years.

In the past year we have managed to maintain a Friendship Drop-In Center on Dewey Ave. here. The Center has been open two days each week, every Wednesday and Friday. It offers a facility for the elderly residents to come and meet new and old friends. It also offers an opportunity for others to serve the elderly residents of our Town. Whether one comes to enjoy a friendly cup of coffee and cake or to take part in one of the many programs offered, such as: We have had four (4) most successful suppers or parties. The Council did purchase two sewing machines for the use of the women at the Center. They have participated in needlepoint work, needlecraft, knitting, crocheting and other crafts. Games and Cards are also enjoyed there. They have sponsored programs such as slide shows and also guest speakers.

Also, there is an art class on both days at the Center when it is open. It is taught by Mrs. Bertha Backer, a well known local artist, whose services our Council loan to their neighboring town of Bourne every Monday.

Every third Wednesday a representative from the Social Security visited the Center to assist the residents with any problems they had.

Every fourth (4) Wednesday the Town Nurse, Miss Frances Silva, visits the Center, at times accompanied by her qualified assistant, to provide a program on nutrition and assistance towards good health other than of a diagnostic nature.

All of the above have been accomplished on the basis of two days a week. The Council must admit they have had

several requests for more days or for larger quarters and they have searched the locale and will continue to try to find a more adequate facility to suit the needs.

We also had a most successful theater party and have received requests for more.

In September 1973 the Council was host to Congressman Gerry Studds, also Representatives of all the Councils on Aging for the entire Cape Cod, as well as representatives of the Office of Elder Affairs, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Boston, Mass.

We sent cards to all the known elderly residents who were ill, also a periodic News Letter to residents 59 years of age or over, and other interested organizations in our Town.

At Christmas we did prepare and delivered a remembrance to all known elderly shut-ins as well as the residents over 90 years of age, the residents of our local Rest Home, totaling 74 gifts containing very practical items.

Lip-reading classes for those interested were held and two such courses were completed. We provided flu shots, eye clinic, and employment for the eligible residents through Operation Mainstream.

Two of our Council Members served on the Nurses Advisory Council, i.e. the Chairman and the Secretary.

Our Chairman also serves on the Sub-Region Advisory Council on Aging for our State and is on the Board of Directors for the Cape and Islands Home Care, Inc. She is a member of the Executive Board of CIRCA which is the Committee of Inter Regional Council on Aging for District 7 and area 6. The purpose of the above Board are to find ways for a better life for the elderly and provide for our residents in available and advantageous plans. The Chairman has received recognition from the Office of Elder Affairs, Boston, for the excellent achievements of our Sandwich Council on Aging for the short time it has been in operation.

Our Council is proud of its OUTREACH program and are pleased that they have accomplished so much, as mentioned above, by their hard work and would like to extend their gratitude to all their friends who have volunteered their services, thus making the accomplishments possible in the

past year. It looks forward to continued growth and community interest in its many endeavors. THANK YOU, GENTLEMEN, FOR YOUR VALUED ASSISTANCE IN OUR TASKS!

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. CLAIRE C. MAGNANT, Chairman

MR. IRVING VICKERS, Vice Chairman

MRS. IRENE BEERS, Secretary

MRS. LEOLA FRASER, Treasurer

MR. CAESAR ALVEZI, Member

MRS. AUDREY WETHERELL, Member

MR. WILLIAM DUNCAN, Member



## Report of the Sandwich Historical Commission

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The members of the Commission are:

Mr. C. Ruggles Smith	Term ends Spring 1974
Mr. W. Daniel Cullity, Jr.	Term ends Spring 1974
Dr. David F. Wright	Term ends Spring 1975
Miss Susan B. Andrews	Term ends Spring 1975
Mr. Ross A. van der Pyl	Term ends Spring 1976
Mrs. Barbara L. Gill	Term ends Spring 1976
Mr. R. A. Lovell, Jr.	Term ends Spring 1976

Mr. van der Pyl replaced Mr. Burton J. Jones, Jr., who resigned August 1, 1973 for personal reasons. Mr. Jones' departure is regretted as his special contributions were highly valuable.

The Commission has a mandatory duty to prepare an inventory of the Town's historic assets (buildings, burial markers, monuments and sites). The East Sandwich inventory was completed in 1972, and the inventory of much of the rest of the town should be completed early in 1974. This involves some 285 buildings or other items located between the railroad tracks and the Mid-Cape. A set of these photographs properly identified is in an album at the Library and all interested persons are urged to look at them. The inventory of assets north of the tracks and south of the Mid-Cape should be completed later in 1974.

The inventory is of value in two projects affecting the town: the new Historic District Study Committee under Mr. Donald Bourne, and the Old King's Highway Regional Historic District Interim Planning Commission (Senator Aylmer's 9 town project) in which Mr. Lovell is the Sandwich representative.

The Commission is also the Town's helper in considering historic events and properties, and was of assistance in these matters during 1973:—

1. Researched the history of the town's Eldred House at 4 Water St. (latterly the Peebles house and Gould Nursing Home). This house has strong connections with the naturalist Thornton Burgess and is of deep interest to several

groups in Sandwich for use as a Town Visitor Center during the summers where displays of Burgess memorabilia and other historic items can be arranged, where town literature etc. can be dispensed and small meetings held.

2. Helped to get 100 stones at the Old Town Cemetery restored at modest cost. Each was pulled, cleaned, water-proofed, repaired, and reset in a cement collar at the ground level for easier lawn maintenance. These stones can be inspected near the front wall on Grove St.

3. Outlined what had happened in Sandwich during the American Revolutionary period in order to aid in forming plans for Bicentennial activities here during 1974/6.

4. Continued to assemble information on the descent of old Sandwich families, using Town vital records, published genealogies, and other sources. This information is shown on large charts which have been found to be of great value as basic reference sources. Among the uses of these charts in 1973 were preparation of material for the Thornton Burgess Centennial; basis for files at the Historical Society on glass factory families; reference in establishing history of various houses; aid to genealogists and answers to a large number of letters from persons across the country seeking information on their Sandwich ancestors.

5. Suggested revisions in texts used in the Third Grade of the Public School relating to Cape Cod and Town history.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL A. LOVELL, JR.

Chairman

## Report of the Town Engineer

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The annual report for the year 1973 surely should remind us that this was a year in which the citizens of Sandwich saw tremendous changes in their town. These changes will have a manifold effect upon us all in the future.

Plans representing in excess of 1900 new building lots were submitted to the Planning Board for approval. The Engineering Department reviewed these plans and prepared reports and made recommendations for changes in design and other matters to the Planning Board. The construction of new streets in subdivisions was inspected by this Department to ensure compliance with Subdivision Regulations. Meetings were held with the Planning Board and their Planner Mr. Herr and the Engineering Departments recommendations for revisions in Zoning By-Law and Subdivision Regulations were submitted. It is my belief that if these changes are made the standards for new developments and their required roadways will be improved in the future.

The Assessor's maps required extensive changes and alterations to incorporate all the new subdivisions and also to correct some of the errors which were shown in property lines in some of the remote woodlots. This work was done in addition to the normal yearly work of making the entries of all the land transfers throughout the year.

The work of the Engineering Department has shown a tremendous increase as more requests have been made to the Selectmen to lay out and accept roads as Town Ways and the Towns drainage problems have compounded as more of the land is built upon and the natural runoff areas are effected. All of these matters require inspections, reports and plans to be prepared so that they can be handled in a proper manner.

I have prepared plans for the Landscape Advisory Council, Sandwich Historic District Study Committee and the Conservation Committee to assist these bodies in their con-



tinuing effort to guide and preserve the heritage of Sandwich.

In retrospect it would appear that the duties of the Engineering Department have increased tremendously in the last year and as we look to the future it would seem that our responsibilities will continue to increase to keep pace with the rapid growth and expansion of Sandwich and the inherent services required.

I wish to thank the citizens of Sandwich for their support and assistance throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, P.E., R.L.S.  
Town Engineer

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## Report of the Highway Surveyor

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the  
Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:**

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1973.

Due to the increased school bus routes and the location of the new school we are going to need more sanders and plows for faster service in the future.

The usual road maintenance program was carried on. This work consists of patching, mowing, drainage, guard rails and sealcoating. Approximately 140,000 square yards were sealed with oil and sand cover. Some roads were recaped with type I mix.

There will be money carried over in Highway general and special appropriation accounts as the town's fiscal year has changed. January 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973 or eighteen months through June 30, 1974. The new budget year starts July 1, 1974 through June 30, 1975.

The cooperation and interest of the citizens, selectmen, and other departments have been appreciated by this department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

C. R. VAN BUSKIRK,  
Surveyor of Highways



## Report of the Dexter Grist Mill

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The 1973 season started on June 15th with a good attendance for opening day and continued good for the rest of the season. The rainy spell we had slowed us down some but it picked up again in good weather.

We had visitors from most of the States and Canada and several from foreign countries. Most of the visitors remarked how well the grounds and Mill are kept. (Thanks to the Park Department.)

The Mill operated very smoothly this year. The stones are taken off after closing for the season and are dressed before we start grinding again which insures a fine quality of cornmeal.

This year we ground thirteen and one half tons of corn and sold 12,501 bags of cornmeal to the visitors and local stores.

The coming year we will have a new water wheel as the old one has worn out after twelve years of work.

To the townspeople of Sandwich, this is your Mill — come and visit us next year.

The closing was on Sunday, September 30th this year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. GOSSE, Miller

## Report of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building Trustees

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:**

Submitted, herewith, is the report of the activities of your Trustees of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building.

The past year proved to be a busy one both in the program of improvement and the increased citizens use of the building.

The interior and exterior of the building now needs some work which we will do if we are allotted some funds.

Civic activity in the building continues to grow proving the necessity of the building to the Town. The American Legion, The Womens Auxiliary, The Sandwich Junior Womens Club, Arts and Crafts, Theater Work Shop for Children, Sandwich J. C., Camp Fire Girls, Sandwich Home Extension Group, supervised parties and dancing, and various other activities make the building important to the Town.

The Council on Aging hold their meetings Wednesday and Friday each week. As this is a very worthwhile cause we are trying to schedule the Council another day.

The newest activity at the building is Bingo. The promoter is the American Legion, which is trying to raise money for their building program.

At this time the Trustees of Clark-Haddad Memorial Building wish to thank the citizens of the Town of Sandwich for their continued interest and support.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. VanBUSKIRK,  
Chairman

CARL E. BAZZINOTTI  
ALLAN CARPENTER  
HENRY BUCKLEY  
CHARLES WENNERSTROM  
CARL L. HILER, Chairman,  
Board of Selectmen  
Memorial Building Trustees

## Report of the Conservation Commission

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts

At the Town Meeting on March 5, 1973 the voters approved by considerably more than the required two-thirds margin the purchase of 253.8 acres in South Sandwich from the Ryder family, subject to financial assistance from the Federal Bureau of Outdoor Recreation and the State Self-Help Fund; also the purchase from Robert S. Swain of 57.4 acres in the Spring Hill area (the Briar Patch); the purchase in the Ridge area of 38 acres from Winthrop V. Ahonen and 20 acres from Clarence E. Cahoon; and the purchase of 20 acres in the Scusset area from Lester E. Geary.

In June, 1973 the Commission bought, using its Land Acquisition Fund, slightly less than 3 acres of marsh off Dewey Avenue, owned by Henry Kaipenan.

We have also received gifts consisting of nineteen acres of land in Scusset area by Lester E. Geary and 20.77 acres of marshland off Foster and Spring Hill Roads from Mr. and Mrs. Donald B. Snyder.

Subsequent to the March 5th meeting, it was decided to include the Swain property in the request for B.O.R. and Self-Help assistance. Much time has been devoted to the preparation of the necessary maps, plans, photographs and other papers which must be submitted with these applications. The Soil Conservation Service prepared the Land Use Plan required by B.O.R. for the Ryder and Swain land.

The Recreation Committee has been consulted in formulation of plans for the Ryder property and the Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee for the Briar Patch.

In preparation for nature trails in both areas, marking tags, naming trees and shrubs have been prepared. The Commission is grateful to the Heritage Plantation for the use of its engraving machine in making these.

500 seedling trees were received from the Barnstable County Conservation District and 1,000 more were ordered for delivery in 1974. One of the planned uses for the Ryder

property east of Cotuit Road is as a nursery for these trees, for future use by the Commission and the Town.

As part of its program for beautification of Route 6-A, the Advisory Landscape Council planted eleven trees and fifty shrubs on Brady's Island.

The Boy Scouts again placed discarded Christmas trees on the beach to halt erosion and the Campfire Girls took charge of the harvesting and sale of the blueberries on Route 6-A.

Much of the Commission's time is now devoted to its duties under the Wetlands Act, Chapter 131, Section 40 of the General Laws. Over 60 properties abutting wetlands have been inspected by members of the Commission (some of these warranted no further action); 10 public hearings have been held, followed by stipulation of conditions under which work would be allowed, and 3 stop orders were issued before a Notice of Intent was filed.

We are grateful to the citizens of Sandwich for their continued interest and support and to the staff at Town Hall for their cheerful assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ALBERT TORREY, Chairman  
JOHN M. MENDONZA, Vice-Chairman  
MEREDITH W. BOURNE, Secretary  
BERNARD C. DIPIETRO  
JAMES J. GEORGE  
PETER C. MEINL  
DANIEL E. POTTER



## Report of the Babe Ruth League Team

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### **The Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts**

The 1973 Sandwich Babe Ruth baseball team completed its fifth year of successful operation. Each year a couple of players from nearby towns are allowed to compete on the team. They not only supplement our pitching and catching staff, but have provided a positive competitive spirit and good baseball influence which has been helpful in developing the local players.

Last year the team had sufficient catching and pitching strength to complete a winning season while using only Sandwich players developed over the past three seasons. This is testimony to the growth and continued baseball interest of the youth of Sandwich.

Sandwich won the Cape Cod Pony League championship for the fourth straight year, compiling a record of sixteen wins and one defeat. The four-year record for this team now stands at eighty wins and eleven losses.

At the annual awards night, the town acknowledged the continued outstanding performance of the players on and off the field. Each player received a team picture, trophy, and jacket.

The highest batting average trophy was won by John Hendy. There was a tie for the most home runs trophy won by Karl Uggerholt and John Hendy. The best pitching performance trophies were awarded to Russell Schmelzer and David Dinklage.

This year we had the largest number of players graduating from the Babe Ruth age bracket. However, for the first time they will have an opportunity to try out and compete on the newly established 16-19 year-old teener team.

Those graduating were Doug Allen, Jerry DeConto, David Dinklage, Jamie Miller, Ned Sawyer, Russell Schmelzer, and Peter Thomas. All have been outstanding, coachable ball players and a credit to our community.

I wish to publicly thank for the players, the School Committee, the Recreation Committee, and the Selectmen for their continued assistance and support of the team.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. HENDY, JR., Coach

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## Report of the Teener League Team

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### **The Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Massachusetts**

After many years of absence, the Town of Sandwich fielded an informal "Teener" baseball team in 1973.

For several years I had been urged from several quarters to organize a team in the 16-19 year-old age bracket for the youth of Sandwich. Last year this became possible for the following three reasons: (1) I had turned the operation of the Little League into the capable hands of Raymond Hart; (2) There appeared to be sufficient local interest and personnel now and also graduating from the 1973 Babe Ruth team; and (3) my recommendations in the 1972 Town report were approved at the 1973 Annual Meeting of the Town.

Uniforms were purchased, a team organized, and a schedule of seven games were contracted and played. During the 1974 season, a formal team will be organized for participation in the Cape Cod Teener League.

At this time I should like to call upon the "Business Community" of Sandwich to assist the ball players in securing summer employment that will allow them to finish their day's work between 4:00 and 4:30 P.M. At this age, teener players need to earn money for college but at the same time should be able to play summer baseball. If you have a job opportunity that meets this criteria, please contact me. The success of the Teener Team depends to a large degree on the ability of the players to secure employment with hours that will allow them to compete.

I wish to thank all those who assisted me in organizing the team, especially for their understanding in helping me overcome the obstacles encountered in the first year of operation.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. HENDY, JR., Coach

## Report of the Advisory Landscape Council

### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

The Advisory Landscape Council for the Preservation and Enhancement of the Beauty of Sandwich received from the Town of Sandwich the sum of \$7500. to apply to supervised landscaping along Route 6A, Old Main Street, and intersections on Route 130. To date we have spent \$3576. on labor, mulch, and nursery items, all supplied by the Sudbury Nurseries, which specialize in municipal planting. The trees, shrubs, etc., were planted as described below:

**Brady's Island:** 1 sugar maple, 2 tupelos, 2 pin oaks, 5 shad, 1 Scotch pine, and at both ends and along the top of the bank, inkberry, beach plum, bayberry, juniper, sweet fern, yucca.

**Fire Station:** 1 sugar maple, 3 Japanese pines, 2 dogwood, 2 cotoneaster.

**By Fred Earle's car wash:** 1 Austrian pine, 1 tea crab.

**Buzzards Bay National Bank:** 1 honey locust (cost reimbursed), 1 Japanese pine.

**Along road in front of Nickerson Funeral Home:** 1 American linden.

**Bourne Park:** 2 swamp maples, 1 tupelo, 6 white cedars, 4 French pussy willows, 2 daphne lilacs, inkberry, ilex verticillata, clethra.

**Pine Street (at intersection with Route 130):** 9 rhododendron (gift of Heritage Plantation).



**Campbell and Burbank Streets** (at intersection with Route 130): about 40 assorted shrubs — azalea, cotoneaster, laurel, inkberry, spirea, bayberry, potentilla.

Unfinished projects involving cooperation with the State Department of Public Works and new areas presently designated for beautification will engage our attention this year. Bids will be requested from local nurseries and landscapists. Shortly we shall have our own town nursery of seedlings on conservation land, which will result in an economy in plant procurement.

The town acceded to our request for seven stone benches. Two of these were purchased by the Historical Society for placement in front of the Glass Museum. With the approaching Bicentennial Celebration, when many visitors may be expected, there is need for more benches, perhaps of greater weight and durability.

We should all be pleased with the number of new and handsome signs on business establishments and with the disappearance of a few objectionable ones. Panel signs at either end of Tupper Road take the place of jungles of individual signs.

The new sign code will be a deterrent to ugly and undesirable advertising. The code was achieved by the joint efforts of the A.L.C.'s sign committee and the town's bylaw sign code committee, both of which worked long hours on its production. The chairman of the A.L.C.'s sign committee researched and compared the codes of other towns, thus providing the official town committee, of which he was a member, with material for critical study and selection.

At its annual meeting November 2, 1973, the Advisory Landscape Council voted to ask the Selectmen to appoint a committee to investigate the cost of restoring the 18th century Deacon Eldred house by Shawme Pond. Other organizations are interested in using this historic house as a Visitors' Center, particularly during the Bicentennial Celebration, and including in it a Thornton Burgess Room for memorabilia.

We restate our concern for preserving the rural character and historic charm of Sandwich. Supervised landscaping, the encouragement of beautification by owners of businesses and townspeople, focused attention on unsightly areas, and the acquisition by the town of small plots of



available land suitable for flowers and shrubs, continue to be our objectives. We emphasize the importance of protecting our country byways and scenic roads.

We thank the Sandwich Woman's Club for its specific interest and support and all members of the Advisory Landscape Council. Currently the membership stands at 301 individual members, 19 business and professional members, and 7 civic organizations.

The Advisory Landscape Council thanks the Selectmen for their valued encouragement and sustained interest.

Respectfully submitted,

The Advisory Landscape Council  
 NATALIE NORRIS, President  
 WILFRED GRAVES, Vice-President  
 BARBARA GILL, Recording Secretary  
 CARYLL GATES, Corresponding Secretary  
 WALLACE TERHUNE, Treasurer

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## Report of the Tree Warden and Insect Pest Control Superintendent

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
 Sandwich, Massachusetts**

This past year 39 elm trees were removed because of the Dutch Elm Disease. This is the largest number we have ever had to remove in a single year, and tree wardens throughout the state had a similar year. Strong claims were made in the past year for an injection treatment for the disease; however, it has not proven effective, although research is still underway. I will continue to keep in touch with the research on this disease and will use the most up-to-date recommended treatment for Town trees. When a successful treatment is found for this disease, tree wardens throughout the state will be among the first to know. We receive information continuously through the Shade Tree Lab of the

University of Massachusetts. At the present time this Department is using the spray material Methoxychlor, which is recommended by the Shade Tree Lab. The dead trees will continue to be promptly removed in an effort to control the spread of the disease.

The tree planting program will be stepped up this year to replace the trees which have been lost due to the Dutch Elm Disease. Unfortunately there is another first to report this year. Eight trees, all of which had been planted last year and all of which were good sized trees, were damaged by vandals to the extent that they will also have to be replaced.

In 1973 we had a serious infestation of the pine looper in South Sandwich and Forestdale. We sprayed 1600 acres in Sandwich by plane with Sevin and obtained good results. Three towns participated in this project—Bourne, Barnstable and Mashpee. Roadsides and woods would have been decimated without this program.

Again I can report that the gypsy moth seems to be under control in the Town of Sandwich. The reason for this decline is a combination of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and Town efforts. There are still, however, a few areas in the Town with gypsy moths and they could flair up at any time. We will closely watch this situation.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. ELLIS

# Report of the Sandwich Public Library

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**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:**

I hereby submit the 83rd annual report of the Sandwich Public Library.

Measurable activities show steadily increasing volume and widening range.

One thousand, five hundred and fifty-five books were catalogued and added to the collection, 353 more than last year, bringing the total holdings (after withdrawals) to 29,698. We were fortunate to acquire a number of important works we lacked through outstanding book sales. Seventy-two people, or private organizations, gave books, records, or periodicals. Of our 93 periodical subscriptions, 31 are gifts. To supplement its collection, the library borrowed 678 standard-print books, 124 large-print books, and 95 records from the Massachusetts Eastern Regional collections in Falmouth and Yarmouth Port. Arrangements have been made with the Sandwich Glass Museum to maintain reciprocal card indexes of printed materials on glass in the two collections.

In addition to the regularly maintained displays of new books, the following special book exhibits were arranged: "The Fix Society — Ours?", supplemented by a drug-abuse exhibit from the Eastern Region; "The Best of 1972", according to the New York Times and the Saturday Review; large-print books and talking-book services; poetry of particular interest to young adults, with accompanying films; "Education is for Everybody", in observance of National Education Week; children's prize books, for Children's Book Week; consumer information, with the Eastern Region's rotating collection; Cape Cod and the Sea (for the summer season); holiday books at several seasons; "Trees and Man", in connection with the Arbor Day celebration on the school grounds. Exhibit books are always available for loan.

Book-related exhibits arranged in the display cases were: Chinese arts, arranged by the Sandwich Arts and Crafts Association; illustrated editions, from the collection of Natalie Norris; Thornton W. Burgess, arranged by the Burgess Centennial Committee; Easter-ornaments and Easter books,



arranged by Barbara Darby; sea things, from the collection of Louise Walker; Japanese arts — Japanese imprints, from the collection of Barbara H. and Julian P. Darby; Indian molas, from the collection of Jonathan Leonard; early American schoolbooks from 1794 to the mid-nineteenth century from the collection of Nancy E. Titcomb; wooden articles, using exotic woods, handcrafted by Arthur L. Harper; Christmas art.

Cards were issued to 968 new borrowers, bringing the total in the active file to 4,435. Registered borrowers took out books, periodicals, pamphlets, records, films, and museum tickets for a total of 52,382 items — an astonishing per capita use. One hundred and forty books and 33 films were borrowed from other libraries through the regional inter-library loan system to fill special requests. Loan and direct reference-use privileges were arranged on a continuing basis with the Cape Cod Community College, and the Massachusetts Maritime Academy. Family tickets to the Museum of Science and the Children's Museum in Boston were supplied to the library by the Sandwich Junior Woman's Club. With the help of the library and interested citizens, two physically-handicapped citizens were supplied with "talking-book" machines and registered for direct, free, talking-book service from the Library of Congress and Perkins Institute. Weekly service to homebound readers was continued by volunteer Susan B. Andrews, with the help of Margaret S. Pola. Seven persons who used this service read a combined total of 498 books!

The coin-operated photocopier, placed in the library on a short-term lease basis, was used for 7,005 coin copies made by the public, and 939 key copies made by the library for reference use.

The northwest basement room, long unusable for want of an emergency exit and adequate equipment, was finally completed and opened for use as a general activities room in September, equipped with a 16 mm. motion-picture projector, portable screen, cassette player-recorder, and chairs for its capacity of about 50 people. While full-scale use has not had time to develop, it was used from September through December for weekly story hours, and bi-weekly film programs for pre-school children. The Cape Cod Genealogical Society and the Burgess Centennial Committee held open meetings in it. The Junior Woman's Club had the first of



what we hope will be annual meetings there, and the Sandwich Historical Commission met there regularly.

Volume of reference use and requests for staff help increased in proportion to the volume of other use recorded. We are all aware of the need for expansion in directions for which we have no time. This is particularly true in the children's and young people's department, where we have even had to cut back, dropping the individual reading program. Much more needs to be done, both independently and in connection with the schools. We need workshops for parents; systematic reference instruction for every grade; arrangements for programs and exhibits prepared by the youth for the community; personal attention for young people pursuing special interests, or beset by special problems. We need a young-people's librarian with time to go to the schools; to work with school librarians and teachers; to compile reading lists; offer book reviews; to help the librarian in establishing buying policies in which school and public library will supplement each other's function, as they should in most important ways.

The Library Trustees have been fully involved in all our efforts to stretch staff time, space, and funds to meet such rapidly increasing demands. With their support, we have introduced automatic charging equipment and added labor-saving machines in the workroom; re-arranged shelving; increased library hours.

Gifts, volunteer projects, public cooperation generally also increased, with a total of 113 individuals and local organizations offering their gifts or personal help. Their names have been gratefully recorded in the library.

A quantitative survey sounds impressive, but it can be dangerous. Like the chill phrases of technology — "information-retrieval system" or "media center" — , it shrinks the concept and may finally distort the role of a library. Significance is measured otherwise — by the library's capacity to quicken imagination and enlarge understanding; to affirm human rights and human possibilities in the nature of its collection and services.

This has been a good year.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE WALKER, Librarian

# WESTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY FUND

1973

(including 1972 income figures)

Fund Investment	Book Value	Market 1973	Div. 1972	Div. 1973
<b>Mary Crocker Baker Fund</b>				
Bass River Savings Bank	\$804.66	\$804.66	\$36.84	\$46.14
Plymouth Savings Bank	3,000.00	3,000.00	182.45	192.52
Consumers Power Co.	10,177.70	7,625.00	587.50	587.50
Eastman Kodak	4,887.50	5,862.50	68.50	80.00
Total	\$18,867.86	12,292.16	\$875.29	\$906.26
<b>Hannah B. Belcher Fund</b>				
Sandwich Co-op. Bank	\$546.56	\$546.56	\$26.16	\$26.46
Sandwich Co-op. Bank	4,000.00	4,000.00	240.00	260.31
American Tel. & Tel. Co.	2,242.34	4,210.50	222.60	235.20
I.B.M.	3,034.00	2,937.00	48.60	49.84
Total	\$9,822.90	\$11,694.06	\$537.36	\$571.81
<b>Annie B. Chamberlin Fund</b>				
Sandwich Co-op. Bank	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$60.00	\$64.89
Total	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$60.00	\$64.89

Fund	Investment	Book Value	Market 1973	Div. 1972	Div. 1973
<b>Harriet M. Faunce Fund</b>					
	Sandwich Co-op. Bank	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$121.56	\$128.35
	Total	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$121.56	\$128.35
<b>John Frank Giles Fund</b>					
	Sandwich Co-op. Bank	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$121.56	\$128.35
	Total	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$121.56	\$128.35
<b>W. Dodge MacKnight Fund</b>					
	Sandwich Co-op. Bank	\$35.37	\$35.37	\$.....	\$.....
	Sandwich Co-op. Bank	1,000.00	1,000.00	60.00	65.08
	State Street Bank & Trust Co.	177,028.35	163,372.24	7,915.43	8,504.43
	Total	\$178,063.72	\$164,407.61	\$7,975.43	\$8,569.51
<b>Charles H. Macy Fund</b>					
	Sandwich Co-op. Bank	\$273.69	\$273.69	\$14.32	\$14.40
	American Tel. & Tel. Co. Deb.	5,073.85	3,729.00	275.00	275.00
	Hyannis Co-op. Bank	6,800.00	6,800.00	408.00	427.66
	Bass River Savings Bank	6,086.26	6,086.26	377.34	386.86
	Total	\$18,233.80	\$16,888.95	\$1,074.66	\$1,103.92

Fund Investment	Book Value	Market 1973	Div. 1972	Div. 1973
<b>Nathaniel Nye Fund</b>				
Plymouth Savings Bank	\$1,164.91	\$1,164.91	\$70.77	\$74.76
Total	\$1,164.91	\$1,164.91	-\$70.77	\$74.76
<b>Weston Fund</b>				
Bass River Savings Bank	\$3,626.79	\$3,626.79	\$223.63	\$229.30
Cape Cod 5c Savings Bank	1,000.00	1,000.00	61.46	62.78
Plymouth Savings Bank	7,523.35	7,523.35	451.31	479.60
Sandwich Co-op. Bank	800.00	800.00	33.00	37.97
Sandwich Co-op. Bank	3,000.00	3,000.00	180.00	185.23
Plymouth Home National Bank	1,200.00	11,220.00	501.60	521.40
Exxon Corp.	6,007.71	8,212.50	235.00	520.00
General Motors	2,755.88	1,860.00	178.00	210.00
I.B.M.	1,069.00	705.34	16.20	15.12
Sandwich Co-op. Bank	32.11	32.11	.....	.....
Total	\$27,014.84	\$37,980.09	\$1,935.20	\$2,221.40
Grand Total	\$248,170.03	\$254,427.78	\$12,771.83	\$13,819.20



## Report of the Annual Town Meeting

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**March 5, 1973**

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 P.M. by the Moderator, Mr. William A. Bullock.

The Invocation was offered by the Reverend Harry B. Gordon of the First Church of Christ in Sandwich.

The Moderator appointed four tellers for the meeting: Messrs. Herbert Weaver, William Duncan, William Marganella and John Jillson.

The reading of the complete Warrant was dispensed with by Unanimous Vote.

**Article 1.** To hear the reports of all Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon, or take any action relative thereto.

Mr. Hiler, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, reported that since 1946 Kendall has been printing reports. The Company has been sold, and from the standpoint of the Selectmen, there was no reason for delay, but the reports had not been delivered until six o'clock on the 5th.

Mr. Hiler moved, and the motion was seconded, that action on this Article be delayed.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That action on Article 1 be delayed.

**ARTICLE 2.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the eighteen month period beginning January 1, 1973, in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and acts and amendments thereof, and including in addition thereto, Chapter 849 of the Acts of 1969, as amended, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the eighteen month period beginning January 1, 1973, in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and acts and amendments thereof, and including in addition thereto, Chapter 849 of the Acts of 1969, as amended, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will fix the salaries of all elected officers as provided in Section 108 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen, Chairman of the Finance Committee pointed out that the salaries have been adjusted showing the 5.5 cost of living factor over the 1972 salaries with the exception of the Highway Surveyor whose salary has been adjusted to better reflect the position of the office. Mr. Hamlen recommended and moved the Article.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the salaries of the elected Town Officials be as follows, covering the eighteen month period from January 1, 1973, through June 30, 1974, all retroactive to January 1, 1973.

Chairman of Selectmen	\$10,188.00
Two Selectmen	8,508.00 each
Assessors	1,704.00 each
Treasurer	5,608.50
Tax Collector	7,992.00
Town Clerk	2,548.50
Moderator	150.00
Highway Surveyor	15,886.00
Tree Warden	2,250.00
Board of Health:	
Chairman	1,107.00
Vice-Chairman	1,027.00
Clerk	1,027.00

ARTICLE 4. To hear the report of the Finance Committee and to raise and appropriate monies as may be needed to defray Town Expenses for the fiscal period from January 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974, or to do anything relative thereto.

**BUDGET 1973**

	<b>Approp. 1972</b>	<b>Budget 1973</b>	<b>Budget ½ 1974</b>	<b>Recom. Total</b>
Legislative	\$750.00	\$500.00	\$250.00	\$750.00
Law	15,000.00	12,000.00	8,000.00	20,000.00
Certification of Notes	1,000.00	500.00	500.00	1,000.00
Interest	24,125.00	21,675.00	10,000.00	31,675.00
Selectmen	20,650.00	23,258.00	12,096.00	35,354.00
Assessors	17,900.00	18,298.00	12,664.00	30,962.00
Accountant	7,780.00	8,216.00	4,316.00	12,532.00
Clerical—SA & A	19,320.00	25,928.00	13,742.00	39,670.00
Treasurer	5,380.00	6,166.40	3,181.66	9,348.06
Tax Collector	8,358.00	10,655.69	6,784.18	17,439.87
Town Clerk	3,382.00	3,739.01	1,955.41	5,694.42
Clerical—Treas., etc.	18,105.00	22,660.79	13,758.55	36,419.34
Election & Registration	9,150.00	4,870.00	4,645.00	9,515.00
Fire & Police Building	11,300.00	6,610.00		6,610.00
Town Hall	6,100.00	6,530.00	3,730.00	10,260.00
Police	199,319.00	238,449.00	122,417.00	360,866.00
Communications Center	27,320.00	29,733.60	14,592.72	44,326.32
Fire	108,245.00	155,159.00	82,138.00	237,297.00
Forest Warden	1,600.00	1,600.00	875.00	2,475.00
Wood Roads	700.00	700.00		700.00
Insect Pest Control	4,700.00	4,700.00	4,700.00	9,400.00
Dutch Elm Control	7,500.00	9,500.00	4,750.00	14,250.00
Tree Warden	6,300.00	6,300.00	3,150.00	9,450.00
Wire Inspector	2,020.00	2,120.00	1,060.00	3,180.00
Building Inspector	9,380.00	9,643.00	4,972.75	14,615.75
Gas Inspector	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,115.00	3,115.00
Health & Sanitation	36,120.00	45,971.00	25,254.00	71,225.00
Public Health Nurse	28,844.00	27,501.00	14,813.30	42,314.30
Highway General	69,900.00	80,000.00	42,000.00	122,000.00
Finance Committee	500.00	500.00	250.00	750.00
Veterans Services	20,000.00	40,000.00	20,000.00	60,000.00
School	890,662.00	1,093,304.00	738,094.00	1,831,398.00
Library	10,800.00	22,000.00	12,000.00	34,000.00
Miscellaneous	500.00	500.00	250.00	750.00
Clark Haddad Building	2,940.00	1,980.00	1,380.00	3,360.00
Street Lights	12,500.00	13,000.00	7,000.00	20,000.00
Planning Board	5,700.00	7,980.00	4,254.00	12,234.00
Appeal Board	1,000.00	1,200.00	600.00	1,800.00
Historic District Comm.	200.00	200.00	100.00	300.00
Park Department	24,845.00	25,955.00	10,872.00	36,827.00
Memorial Day	600.00	600.00	600.00	1,200.00
Christmas Lighting	2,000.00	2,500.00		2,500.00
Tax Title Account	2,000.00	15,800.00		15,800.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00	1,000.00	500.00	1,500.00
Town Reports & Warrants	3,500.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	8,000.00
4th of July Celebration	2,200.00	2,500.00		2,500.00
Public Entertainment	500.00	500.00	500.00	1,000.00
Town Advertising	500.00	500.00	500.00	1,000.00
Binding Town Records	500.00	500.00		500.00
Green Head Fly Control	422.00	422.00	422.00	844.00
Recreation Committee	18,591.00	27,630.00	9,897.00	37,527.00
Fish and Game	100.00	200.00	200.00	400.00
Town Insurance	20,000.00	22,000.00	22,000.00	44,000.00
Town Clock	500.00	500.00		500.00
Cemeteries	3,500.00	3,500.00	2,000.00	5,500.00



	Approp. 1972	Budget 1973	Budget ½ 1974	Recom. Total
Conservation Commission	3,460.00	13,340.00	4,225.00	17,565.00
Vocational School Capital & Oper.	47,755.08	74,620.15		74,620.15
Principal Payments				
School Loan 1958	25,000.00	25,000.00		25,000.00
School Loans 1963	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	100,000.00
Interest on Tax Loans	5,000.00	12,000.00	5,000.00	17,000.00
Sandwich Historical Com.	1,500.00	800.00	200.00	1,000.00
Engineering Dept.	23,810.00	29,775.00	17,519.00	47,294.00
Civil Defense	795.00	665.00	283.00	948.00
Town Garage	7,200.00	5,830.00	4,430.00	10,260.00
Shell Fish Warden	550.00	980.00	632.00	1,612.00
Dog &				
Conservation Officer	12,850.00	9,578.00	5,287.00	14,865.00
Council on Aging	1,000.00	3,110.00	1,490.00	4,600.00
		\$2,299,452.64	\$1,341,945.57	\$3,641,398.21

Mr. Hamlen noted the difficulties of projecting the budget for the eighteen months, rather than for twelve. He noted that 13 Department Budgets increased by \$5,000.00 or more; School, Police, Fire, Highway, Veterans Services, Tax Title Account, Recreation, Conservation, Engineering, Health and Sanitation, Clerical SA and A, Library, Interest on Temporary Loans. These increases account for \$392,129.00 of the \$440,880.00 increase over 1972. This leaves a total balance increase of \$48,751.00 divided among the remaining 56 Department Items.

In answer to a question from Mrs. MacLean, Mr. Hiler stated that taxes for 1973 will be due in November of this year, two-thirds of the amount for 1973, and one-third due in May of 1974. Starting July 1st, there will be two tax bills annually, one bill in November and one in May of each year.

There were a number of questions asked. Mr. Hamlen noted that there had been an increase in Veterans Services. Mr. Ohman felt that some items were decidedly more than a 5.5% increase, and Mr. Hoxie said that salaries had reflected a 5.5% increase, but in many cases there was a need for additional services. The suggested budget for the departments included the salaries. Mr. Hiler said that with the exception of the police department and the school, all other salaries were determined on a 5.5% increase. The budgets for departments were increased because of additional costs and services. Mr. Crowley asked what the total appropriation for 1972 was and Mr. Pola said \$2,298,841.00. Mr. Peterson, Board of Health, noted that they had not taken a 5.5% increase, feeling that it was not warranted.



Mr. Hiler explained that more services were added, and the budgeted items were larger than last year; the special appropriations were smaller, and he pointed out that if all items which the Finance Committee **recommended** were passed, it would affect the tax rate by 16¢. In answer to a question about the Fire Department, Mr. Swan, Chairman of the Board of Fire Engineers, said that last year the additional six men authorized worked only 39 weeks; this year it will be 52 weeks and there will be 24-hour coverage. Chief Whearty pointed out that in the Police Department, in addition to increased wages for full time personnel, as a result of collective bargaining agreements with the Town, there were additional services, and said that the way the Town was growing one man could not provide all services in the area south of the Mid-Cape Highway and the addition of men would put a man in South Sandwich and Forestdale on a full time basis.

Mr. Hiler noted that there had been an increase in Veteran Services and there was no way of telling what would be the cost this year. Bills are required to be paid by the Veterans Agent, but 50% will be reimbursed by the Commonwealth.

**VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$3,641,398.21 for the budgets covering the 18 month period from January 1, 1973 through June 30, 1974, divided among the respective accounts, as printed in the Warrant for the Annual Meeting of 1973 under Article 4. This Article was carried by a Voice Vote.

**ARTICLE 5.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for roads under the provisions of Section 26-29 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen noted that under Chapter 81 of the General Laws the State reimburses the Town at the rate of \$275.00 per mile with the Town contributing \$100.00 per mile for the State approved mileage of Town owned roads. The Town has 79.42 miles of approved road so by appropriating \$7,942.00 and making available the State's share of \$21,841.00, which will be reimbursed at the end of the year, the Town can operate a program for normal maintenance and repairs of a section of Town roads at a very reasonable cost.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$7,942.00 for the Town's share and that \$21,841.00

be transferred and appropriated from Surplus Revenue for the State's share for roads, under the provisions of Section 26-29 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Quaker Meeting House Road, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$20,500.00 for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Quaker Meeting House Road; \$10,000.00 to be added to the 1972 contract and \$10,500.00 for the Town's share of the 1973 contract.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money to a Reserve Account or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen explained that this Reserve Account will carry over an 18 months period, and it seemed advisable to transfer an amount which might be adequate for any contingencies, and the money is being transferred from available funds.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$50,000.00 from Overlay Surplus for a Reserve Account for the 18 months period.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay land damages and expenses in connection with the County taking of Great Hill Road and Chase Road as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$9,840.33 to pay land damages and expenses in connection with the County Layout of Great Hill Road and Chase Road as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be paid to the Cape Cod Mental Health Association for services rendered to the citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset or do anything relative thereto. (By request of the Cape Cod Mental Health Center).

Mr. Hamlen explained that the suggested allotment for the Towns is established at 30 cents per registered voter. At the time the schedule was established, Sandwich had 2,869

registered voters, and the amount required for the 18 months period would be \$1,291.00. During the past year, 153 interview hours were given to Sandwich, and four children and 15 adults were newly enrolled as patients, not including those carried over from previous years.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,291.00 to be expended by the Cape Cod Mental Health Association, through the Sandwich Board of Health, for services rendered to adult citizens for the 18 months period.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the Advisory Landscape Council for the purchase, planting and maintenance of trees and shrubs in areas to improve the appearance of the Town or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen explained that an Advisory Landscape Council has been established and they have requested \$7,500.00 to cover the 18 months period.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$7,500.00 to be expended by the Advisory Landscape Council for the purchase, planting and maintenance of trees and shrubs in areas to improve the appearance of the Town.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the second year contract payment on the portable classrooms installed at the Henry T. Wing School.

Mr. Hamlen: Last year the School Committee with the approval of Town Meeting, entered into a three year contract to buy portable classrooms to relieve the crowding in the elementary grades. This, therefore, becomes a legal obligation of the Town. This article is to make available the second year payment on the contract.

After considerable discussion on the floor concerning whether these classrooms were working satisfactorily, a motion was made that the article be indefinitely postponed. This motion was seconded.

Town Counsel, in answer to a question, said that the money should be appropriated since this is a legal obligation; the money is not being paid out to someone who has not earned it.

The motion for indefinite postponement was NOT carried.



After further discussion with Mr. DeConto, from the School Committee, explaining that money had been withheld where work was not satisfactory, it was

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$61,525.00 for the second year contract payment on the portable classrooms at the Henry T. Wing School. Carried by voice vote.

A Motion was then made, and seconded, that Article 11 be reconsidered, and this was carried.

There was further discussion on the working of the plumbing and the heating system, with Mr. Torrey of the School Committee stating very definitely that money was being held back where it was felt that the work was not satisfactory. An amount of \$17,000.00 is being held back.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$61,525.00 for the second year contract payment on the portable classrooms at the Henry T. Wing School. The Moderator declared the vote in favor, by voice vote.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to install drainage, grade and repair the softball field and the Little League field; to repair, resurface and seal the tennis courts and to install lighting on the tennis courts at the Henry T. Wing School or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen explained that all of the areas need repairs and reconditioning.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$14,150.00 and transfer and appropriate \$10,000.00 from the account for furnishing and equipping portable classrooms, to install drainage, grade and repair the softball field and the Little League Field; to repair, resurface and seal the tennis courts and to install lighting on the tennis courts at the Henry T. Wing School.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install lighting on the baseball field at the Henry T. Wing School or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen pointed out that most of the games must be played at night and in order to take advantage of daylight, many began at an early inconvenient hour, for families as well as players.

The article was moved and seconded, and by voice vote, the Moderator declared the motion not carried. This vote



was questioned and a hand count was taken, and the motion was declared defeated 328 No, 234 Yes.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Conservation Commission to acquire by purchase or otherwise for conservation purposes, certain land in the Town described as follows:

Shown on Assessors Maps

AREA 1. (Malcolm E. Ryder et ux)

Map 65	Parcel D3	58.6 Acres +-
Map 65	Parcel D5	30.0 Acres +-
Map 70	Parcel Y1	6.0 Acres +-
Map 65	Parcel D1	5.9 Acres +-
Map 65	Parcel D2	7.8 Acres +-

AREA 2. (Florence H. Ryder)

Map 70	Parcel Y3	58.0 Acres +-
Map 70	Parcel Y6	7.3 Acres +-
Map 70	Parcel X6	.8 Acres +-
Map 70	Parcel X5	3.4 Acres +-

AREA 3. (Virginia Ryder et al)

Map 70	Parcel Y2	33.5 Acres +-
Map 70	Parcel Y5	41.0 Acres +-

AREA 4. (W. Clayton Ryder)

Map 70	Parcel Y4	1.50 Acres +-
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and will appropriate a sum of money therefor, and to determine whether said appropriation shall be raised by taxation, by transfer of available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, and to authorize the Conservation Commission to apply for and accept any available State or Federal aid therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

The Finance Committee (Mr. Hamlen) moved and the motion was seconded that the Conservation Commission is hereby authorized to acquire by purchase or eminent domain for conservation purposes, certain land situated in the Town of Sandwich described as follows:

**FLORENCE H. RYDER**

Parcel Y3—Assessors Map 70—58.0 Acres+-	Barnstable County Registry of Deeds Book 918 Page 556
Parcel Y6—Assessors Map 70— 7.3 Acres+-	Book 595 Page 52
Parcel X5—Assessors Map 70— 3.4 Acres+-	Book 595 Page 52
Parcel X6—Assessors Map 70— .8 Acres+-	Book 918 Page 554

**VIRGINIA RYDER, CARLETON H. COLLINS,  
ERDINE C. HENRIKSEN**

Parcel Y2—Assessors Map 70—33.5 Acres+- Book 938 Page 366

Parcel Y5—Assessors Map 70—41.0 Acres+- Book 938 Page 366

**W. CLAYTON RYDER**

Parcel Y4—Assessors Map 70— 1.5 Acres+- Book 1455 Page 1159

and that the sum of \$990,000 be hereby appropriated therefor and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$28,500.00 be raised by taxation for such amount of money as is required to be so raised by Chapter 44, Section 7 (3) of the General Laws and \$73,500.00 be raised by taxation which will be necessary for payments of interest and principal on any borrowing authorized under this Motion during the 18 month budget period next following; and that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$888,000.00 at one time or from time to time under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7 (3) of the General Laws and to issue bonds or notes therefor; and, further, that the Conservation Commission be hereby authorized to apply for and accept any available state or federal aid for the aforesaid purposes; and the Board of Selectmen or its Conservation Commission be hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation of the Department of the Interior of the United States Government with respect to reimbursement from the Land and Water Conservation Fund in connection with any application for such contributory fund; all of the authorizations herein set forth being on condition that the Town be assured of reimbursement (by instrument of Qualification and Approval) from the Federal Land and Water Conservation Fund to the extent of approximately 50% of the purchase price thereof and of reimbursement (by preliminary approval) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Self-Help Fund of approximately 25% of the purchase price thereof.

Dr. Chester E. Cross presented the following amendment; that \$473,916.00 be added to the amount to be appropriated and to meet such appropriation \$14,000.00 be added to the amount to be raised by taxation for such money as is required to be raised by Chapter 44, Section 7 (3) of the General Laws and \$34,916.00 additional be raised by taxation which will be necessary for additional interest and principal payments on the borrowing authorized and the additional amount of \$425,000.00 be authorized to be borrowed. This to include Area 1.

This amendment was seconded and was unanimously voted by voice vote.

The original article was then moved and seconded as amended. It was then

**VOTED:** That the Conservation Commission is hereby authorized to acquire by purchase or eminent domain for conservation purposes, certain land situated in the Town of Sandwich described as follows:

**FLORENCE H. RYDER**

Recorded Barnstable  
County Registry of  
Deeds

Parcel Y3—Assessors Maps 70—58.0 acres+-	Book 918 Page 556
Parcel Y6—Assessors Maps 70— 7.3 Acres+-	Book 595 Page 52
Parcel X5—Assessors Maps 70— 3.4 Acres+-	Book 595 Page 52
Parcel X6—Assessors Maps 70— .8 Acres+-	Book 918 Page 554

**VIRGINIA RYDER, CARLETON H. COLLINS,  
ERDINE C. HENRIKSEN**

Parcel Y2—Assessors Maps 70—33.5 Acres+-	Book 938 Page 366
Parcel Y5—Assessors Maps 70—41.0 Acres+-	Book 938 Page 366

**W. CLAYTON RYDER**

Parcel Y4—Assessors Maps 70— 1.5 Acres+-	Book 1455 Page 1159
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**MALCOLM E. RYDER, KATHARINE H. RYDER**

Parcel D3—Assessors Maps 65—58.6 Acres+-	Book 1465 Page 944
Parcel D5—Assessors Maps 65—30.0 Acres+-	Book 681 Page 255
Parcel D1—Assessors Maps 65— 5.9 Acres+-	Book 515 Page 399
Parcel D2—Assessors Maps 65— 7.8 Acres+-	Book 1465 Page 944
Parcel Y1—Assessors Maps 70— 6.0 Acres+-	Book 1163 Page 426, 427 Book 595 Page 32 Book 1140 Page 195

and that the sum of \$1,463,916.00 be hereby appropriated therefor and to meet such appropriation the sum of \$42,500.00 be raised by taxation for such amount of money as is required to be so raised by Chapter 44, Section 7 (3) of the General Laws and \$108,416.00 be raised by taxation which will be necessary for payments of interest and principal on any borrowing authorized under this Motion during the 18 month budget period next following; and that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$1,313,000.00 at one time or from time to time under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7 (3) of the General Laws and to issue bonds or notes therefor; and further, that the Conservation Commission be hereby authorized to apply for and accept any available state or federal aid for the aforesaid purposes; and the Board of Selectmen or its



Conservation Commission be hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation of the Department of the Interior of the United States Government with respect to reimbursement from the Land and Water Conservation Fund in connection with any application for such contributory fund; all of the authorizations herein set forth being on condition that the Town be assured of reimbursement (by instrument of Qualification and Approval) from the Federal Land and Water Conservation Fund to the extent of approximately 50% of the purchase price thereof and of reimbursement (by preliminary approval) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Self-Help Fund of approximately 25% of the purchase price thereof. By a hand vote, this was carried; 491 for — 35 against.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Conservation Commission to acquire by purchase or otherwise for conservation purposes, certain land in the Town described as follows:

Shown on Assessors Maps

AREA 1. (Winthrop V. Ahonen)

Map 50	Parcel 11	6 Acres +-
Map 50	Parcel A4	32 Acres +-

AREA 2. (Lester E. Geary)

Map 19	Parcel B1	20 Acres +-
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AREA 3 (Clarence E. Cahoon)

Map 50 & 53	Parcel E19 & N13-1	20 Acres +-
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and will appropriate a sum of money therefor, and to determine whether said appropriation shall be raised by taxation, by transfer of available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

The Motion was moved and seconded. Mr. Torrey spoke in favor of Article 15, showing on the map the locations of the parcels, and he pointed out that if the Town voted to purchase the 20 acres of Area 2, Mr. Geary had stated that he would give the Town an additional 20 acres.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Conservation Commission is hereby authorized to acquire by purchase or eminent domain for Conservation purposes certain land situated in the Town of Sandwich described as follows:



### AREA 1. Winthrop V. Ahonen

Parcel 11—Assessors Map 50— 6 Acres+- Barnstable Registry of  
Deeds, Book 488, Page 95

Parcel A4—Assessors Map 50—32 Acres+-

### AREA 2. Lester E. Geary

Parcel B1—Assessors Map 12—20 Acres+- Land Court Plan 2903F

### AREA 3. Clarence E. Cahoon

Parcels E19 & N13-1—Assessors Map 50 & 53—20 Acres+-

and that \$102,000.00 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Conservation Commission to acquire by purchase or otherwise for conservation purposes, certain land in the Town described as follows:

#### Shown on Assessors Maps (Robert S. Swain)

Map 24	Parcel K9	32.7 Acres +-
Map 27	Parcel M2	22.8 Acres +-
Map 24	Parcel K5A	1.9 Acres +-

and will appropriate a sum of money therefore, and to determine whether said appropriation shall be raised by taxation, by transfer of available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

This Article was not recommended by the Finance Committee. The Moderator recognized Mr. Torrey who pointed out that the Thornton Burgess Centennial Commission had studied this. Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips was then recognized by the Moderator and for the Centennial Commission, Mrs. Phillips made the motion which was seconded, that the Conservation Commission is hereby authorized to acquire by purchase for Conservation purposes certain lands situated in the Town of Sandwich described as follows:

#### Robert S. Swain and Robert S. Swain, Jr., Trustees of Discovery Hill Trust

Parcel K9—Assessors Map 24—32.7 Acres+-	Land Court Plan 95655
Parcel M2—Assessors Map 27—22.8 Acres+-	Barnstable Registry of Deeds
	Book 1780, Page 13

#### Robert S. Swain

Parcel K5A—Assessors Map 24—1.9 Acres+- Book 644 Page 226

and that \$200,000.00 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

After discussion, Mr. Torrey, Mrs. Titcomb, Mrs. Phillips, Mr. Sutton speaking in favor, Mr. Paul O'Connell against, the Moderator declared the motion as stated above, carried. The vote was by voice vote.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate money received from the State Public Library Aid Account or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen explained that the State, to encourage library activities, makes available funds to assist their operation and this money received annually by the Town must have a Town Meeting vote to make it available for use of the Library.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,964.33 received from the State as Public Library Aid to the Library Appropriation Account.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the money received from the Dog Fund of 1972 to the Library Appropriation Account, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,643.91 from the Dog Account of 1972 to the Library Appropriation Account.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to request the Planning Board to prepare a by-law that will permit and encourage "Open Space Village" subdivisions.

(Request of the Cape Cod Planning & Economic Development Commission)

Mr. Hamlen noted that since the Sandwich Planning Board is offering a revision of the Town's By-Laws on cluster development under Article 40 of this warrant, which will conform with the ideas and principles of Open Space Village Subdivisions, he moved, and it was seconded, that this article be postponed.

The Moderator declared the motion carried, by voice vote.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote that the Selectmen of the Town be requested to notify the Barnstable County Commissioners that they approve the County taking the required action to establish a "Water Quality and Quantity Management Program" providing that the County Commissioners may appropriate not more than \$700,000.00 for this purpose.

(Request of the Cape Cod Planning & Economic Development Commission)

The quantity and quality of ground water available on Cape Cod to support the increase in population at the present time is an unknown factor and Mr. Hamlen explained that a vote on this article is to obtain the reaction of the voters of Barnstable County. If the study became a reality, the project would have a three cent effect on our tax rate, though no money is being appropriated under the article now.

**VOTED:** That the Town request the Board of Selectmen to notify the Barnstable County Commissioners that they approve the county taking the required action to establish a "Water Quality and Quantity Management Program" providing that the County Commissioners may appropriate not more than \$700,000.00 for this purpose. The Moderator declared the motion carried, by voice vote.

**ARTICLE 21.** To see if the Town will vote that the Selectmen of the Town be requested to notify the Barnstable County Commissioners that they approve the establishment of a Cape Cod Jobs Development Council and a Cape Cod Jobs Development Financing Authority providing that the County Commissioners may appropriate not more than \$150,000.00 annually for these purposes.

(Request of the Cape Cod Planning & Economic Development Commission)

Mr. Hamlen pointed out the need for a program such as is being requested and pointed out that while no money was being appropriated at the present, if the program were made available, according to the 1971 formula (latest available) this program would affect the tax rate by four cents.

**VOTED:** That the Town request the Board of Selectmen to notify the Barnstable County Commissioners that they approve the establishment of a Cape Cod Jobs Development Council and a Cape Cod Jobs Development Financing Authority providing that the County Commissioners may appropriate not more than \$150,000.00 annually for these purposes. The Moderator declared the motion carried by hand vote; 176 in favor, 137 opposed.

**ARTICLE 22.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill Restoration Income Account for the operation and maintenance of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town transfer and appropriate \$16,566.45 from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill



Income Account for the maintenance and operation of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to rescind that part of the vote passed under Article 2 of the Special Town Meeting of September 25, 1972, which authorized the borrowing of \$100,000.00 for the construction, original equipping and furnishing of a Police Station and to vote in place thereof that said amount be provided for by transferring said amount of \$100,000.00 from Federal Revenue Sharing Fund deposited in a special savings account.

Mr. Hamlen noted that at the time money was made available for the construction, equipping and furnishing of the Police Station, it was necessary to authorize the borrowing. Up to the present, the disbursements have not exceeded the cash funds which were made available and it has not been necessary to borrow, and in order to avoid borrowing, it is advisable to rescind the loan authorization and to transfer the \$100,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town rescind that part of the vote passed under Article 2 of the Special Town Meeting of September 25, 1972, which authorized the borrowing of \$100,000.00 for the construction, original equipping and furnishing of a Police Station and to vote in place thereof, that said amount be provided for by transferring said amount of \$100,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund deposited in a Special Savings Account.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be added to a previous appropriation for the repair of the culvert on Ploughed Neck Road in cooperation with the State under Chapter 91 of the General Laws or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$2,500.00 to be added to a previous appropriation of \$2,000.00 to cover the Town's share for repairs of the culvert on Ploughed Neck Road under Chapter 91 of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the construction of stone groins for shore protection in cooperation with the State and County under Chapter 91 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.



**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$26,500.00 for groin construction and shore protection work under Chapter 91 of the General Laws.

**ARTICLE 26.** To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

Mr. Hamlen explained that for the Town to fulfill the legal requirements for shore protection this liability article must be included in the warrant.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores, and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

**ARTICLE 27.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to construct a stone wall as a continuation of the existing stone wall in the front of Mount Hope Cemetery or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen said that a person interested in the Mount Hope Cemetery feels that the appearance would be improved by this stone wall, and has offered stones from the foundation of an old barn for this purpose. The Town has had Mr. Willard Smith, a stone mason, look at these stones, and he felt they could be satisfactorily used for this purpose, with an estimated cost of moving the stones and the construction of \$8,500.00.

**VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$8,500.00 to construct a stone wall as a continuation of the existing

stone wall in the front of Mount Hope Cemetery. By Voice Vote, the Moderator declared the motion carried.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a larger capacity electric generator to be installed in the Police Station so as to supply electricity to both the Police Station and Fire Station in case of emergency or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for the purchase of a 30 KW electric generator to be installed in the Police Station, to supply emergency power for both the Police and Fire Stations. The Moderator declared this Article carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to complete conversion of a tractor unit, acquired through Civil Defense at no cost to the Town, as a Brush Breaker-Tanker, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$8,500.00 to convert a tractor unit to a brushbreaker for use of the Fire Department.

Mr. Richards moved that Article 13 be reconsidered and this was seconded. The Motion was not carried.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the Marina Income Account for the use of operation, maintenance, repairs and capital outlay at the East Boat Basin Marina, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$11,177.83 from the Marina Income Account to a maintenance and operating account for the marina at the East Boat Basin.

At this point, there was a motion to adjourn until March 6, at 7:30 P.M. at the same place. This was unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 11:05 P.M.

The Moderator called the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M. on March 6, 1973, and the following Articles were considered.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for highway work on Town ways in accordance with the following list, or do anything relative thereto.

Route 130—Quaker Meeting House Road  
to Snake Pond Road

\$44,720.00

Water Street—Route 130—Morse Road to Shawme Road	6,174.00
Jones Lane—Route 6A to culvert	3,542.00
Kiah's Way—Section South of Mill Road	7,000.00
Old Falmouth Road—South from Route 130	13,474.00
Atkins Road—connecting section	2,034.00
Sidewalk repairs—Section Main Street and School Street	7,500.00
Jarves Street—curb and paving	3,535.00
Shawme Road	3,000.00
Mill Road	2,500.00
Jones Lane Culvert	2,000.00
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	\$95,479.00

There was considerable discussion concerning the roads, especially Old Falmouth Road. Mr. Pola pointed out that this is a town way and as such, it is the responsibility of the Town to maintain.

Mr. Souza made a motion that Old Falmouth Road be deleted from Article 31. On a show of hands, this motion was carried 218 to 96.

VOTED, as amended, with Old Falmouth Road deleted, that the Town raise and appropriate \$82,005.00 for highway work on Town Ways, in accordance with the list as in the Article. (\$13,474.00 deleted, by amendment)

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Federal Revenue Sharing Fund deposited in a special savings account and appropriate the money as needed to cover the cost of police cruisers for the Police Department covering the eighteen months period.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$21,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund deposited in a special savings account for the purchase of six cruisers for the Police Department as need over the 18 months period.

Mr. Richards again made the motion that Article 13 be reconsidered (since many had left the night before), and this was seconded. By a show of hands this was defeated, 182 voting No and 148 voting Yes.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to request the Board of Selectmen to order the restraining of dogs in the Town as



authorized under Chapter 140, Section 167 and 169 of the General Laws on a yearly schedule rather than on a summer seasonal schedule or do anything relative thereto.

This Article caused considerable discussion. Mr. Peter Beauchemin speaking against; Mrs. MacLean, Mr. Whearty, Mr. Jillson for; Mr. Souza felt there should be provision for hunting dogs. The motion to table until a more comprehensive article was written was not carried. It was pointed out that the law was not completely effective, and would cost money.

VOTED: That the Town request the Board of Selectmen to order the restraining of dogs in the Town as authorized under Chapter 140, Sections 167 and 169 of the General Laws on a yearly schedule rather than on a summer seasonal schedule. This was declared carried by the Moderator by voice vote.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a Committee to recommend the best method of obtaining needed adequate space at the Sandwich Fire Station, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of the committee, to obtain preliminary plans and estimates therefore or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town authorize the Moderator to appoint a Fire Station Study Committee to recommend the best method of obtaining needed adequate space at the Sandwich Fire Station and to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 for the use of said committee.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money as a contribution to the Town of Bourne to assist in the shellfish program by reason of the privilege granted the residents of Sandwich for shellfish permits, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 as a contribution to the Town of Bourne for their shellfish program.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 2310 of the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by changing the entry opposite "Other retail business or service" in the "Marine Limited" column from "N" to "S", or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)



The Finance Committee moved this article as presented and it was seconded. Mrs. Wilharm explained the article and pointed out that after the Public Hearing on the Article, the majority of the Planning Board felt that the article should be reconsidered at a future Planning Board Meeting.

After discussion, Mr. Beardsley moved that the Article be tabled. This motion was seconded, and was declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by amending the Zoning Map, deleting from Business-Limited and placing in R-40 all Business-Limited districts east of Scorton Creek; plus an area bounded on the north by Route 6A, on the west by Quaker Meeting House Road, on the south by the present R-40 district boundary, and on the east by a line 200 feet easterly of and parallel to the easterly sideline of Quaker Meeting House Road; and by placing in R-20 all other land in the Business-Limited District abutting Route 6A and lying east of Quaker Meeting House Road, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

The Finance Committee moved this Article as presented and it was seconded. Dr. Cross explained the article, saying that it appeared necessary to make a change of this sort in order to avoid greater business along Route 6A, and a petition to the Planning Board had requested this change. He felt that the chief effort should be to re-zone those areas not now used for business.

Dr. Cross made a motion to amend the Article as presented: he moved that nonconforming uses existing on Route 6A at the time that this amendment is adopted may extend or enlarge the non-conforming use under the same conditions which established the original use in a business limited area.

Mr. Bryden pointed out that all members of the Board were, he felt, in favor of the article and the amendment as Dr. Cross presented it, but he had talked with Phil Herr, who expressed the opinion that this amendment would not be legal because there had been no hearing on it. Mr. Boudreau, Town Counsel, felt it would be better to wait until a special town meeting.

The amendment to the motion was then voted on, and by voice vote, the amendment to the motion was voted down.

The motion on the article as originally presented was voted on and it was

VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by amending the Zoning Map, deleting from Business Limited and placing in R-40 all Business Limited Districts east of Scorton Creek; plus an area bounded on the north by Route 6A, on the west by Quaker Meeting House Road, on the south by the present R-40 district boundary, and on the east by a line 200 feet easterly of and parallel to the easterly side-line of Quaker Meeting House Road; and by placing in R-20 all other land in the Business Limited District abutting Route 6A and lying east of Quaker Meeting House Road. By a show of hands, this was voted 194 in favor, 66 against, constituting a two-thirds vote in favor.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. Amend Section 2110 by adding the following line, directly below "Industrial Limited"

"Government District                      GD"

2. Amend Section 2140 by inserting the following at the end thereof:

"GOVERNMENT DISTRICT: GD—To provide for necessary governmental functions on publicly owned land."

3. Amend Section 2310 by revising the row labelled "Municipal Use not more specifically cited" to read "Municipal or other public use not more specifically cited"

4. Amend Section 2310 by adding a new column at the extreme right, headed "GD", and with all entries "N" with the following exceptions:

"School

Public, sectarian, denominational ..... Y

Religious use ..... Y

Municipal or other public use

not more specifically cited ..... Y

5. Amend Section 2600 by adding "GD" to the column heading "R-40, RD"

6. Amend the last phrase of Section 3420 by adding the word "Government", so that it reads "... or more than 200 feet beyond the boundary of the lot if originating in a Business Limited, Marine Limited, Ridge, General Use, or Government District."

7. Amend the Sandwich Zoning map by deleting from the General Use District and placing in the Government District all land lying within the U.S. military reservation.  
or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Coe explained the Article after it was moved and seconded, that though remote, some land within Otis might come back to the Town. After some discussion as to the wording of the article and the uses allowed, Mr. Wright moved and it was seconded that this article be indefinitely postponed. By voice vote, this motion was declared carried.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by revising the first phrase of Section 1340, deleting the words "... multi-family dwellings, or for any use in the Business-Limited District or in a Planned Development ...", so that the phrase reads:

"1340. Applicants for Special permits for any use which involves required parking for 10 or more cars . . . "(remainder unchanged).

or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

This article was explained by Mr. Osgood of the Planning Board who said that the passing of this Article would give the Planning Board a chance to recommend and review all site plans.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning By-law by revising the first phrase of Section 1340, deleting the words . . . "multi-family dwellings, or for any use in the Business Limited District or in a Planned Development . . ." so that Section 1340 reads as follows:

"1340. Applicants for Special Permits for any use which involves required parking for 10 or more cars or involves more than 4,000 sq. ft. floor area of new construction, shall submit to the Board of Appeals three copies of the following: an application; a site plan prepared by a registered Architect, Landscape Architect, or Civil Engineer, showing proposed structures, drives, parking, landscaping, screening and drainage; a ground floor plan and elevations of all proposed building and elevations of proposed signs; and photographs of the premises and all adjoining structures."



**ARTICLE 40.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting present sections 4400 and 4500 and substituting the following:

**4400. CLUSTER DEVELOPMENT**

**4410. Objectives**

The objective of Cluster Development is to allow relatively intensive use of land, while at the same time maintaining existing character; to preserve open space for conservation and recreation; to introduce variety and choice into residential development; to meet housing needs; to facilitate economical and efficient provision of public services; and to guide development consistent with the town's Master Plan.

**4420. Applicability**

The Board of Appeals may grant a special permit for the construction and occupancy of a Cluster Development in any district permitting residences, subject to the following regulations and conditions.

**4430. Procedures**

**4431. Pre-application Review.** To promote better communication and avoid misunderstanding, applicants are encouraged to submit preliminary materials for informal review by both the Board of Appeals and the Planning Board prior to formal application. Preliminary subdivision plans, if any, should be submitted to the Planning Board prior to application for a special permit.

**4432. Application.** Applicants for a special permit for a Cluster Development shall submit to the Board of Appeals five copies of an application and an Overall Development Plan. Such plan shall encompass at least 8 acres of land which is contiguous, though not necessarily in one ownership. If the plan involves more than one ownership, each owner of land included in the plan shall be a party to the application and, upon plan approval, subject to its provisions.

**4433. Overall Development Plan.** The Overall Development Plan shall indicate location and boundaries of the site, proposed land and building uses, location of common open space, existing topography, grading plan, location and width of streets and ways, parking, areas of proposed and retained vegetation, distinctions between upland and wetland, drainage, sewer-



age, and height, bulk, use and location of proposed structures. The plan shall have been prepared by a registered landscape architect, architect, civil engineer, or land surveyor.

**4434. Other Materials.** The application materials shall indicate each landowner's interest in the land to be developed, the form of organization proposed to own and maintain the common open space, the substance of covenants and grants of easements to be imposed upon the use of land and structures, and a development schedule.

**4435. Review and Decision.** Forthwith upon their receipt of the application and required plans, the Board of Appeals shall transmit two copies to the Planning Board and one copy each to the Board of Health and Conservation Commission. The Planning Board, Board of Health, and Conservation Commission shall submit reports to the Board of Appeals within 45 days of the application date, and the Board of Appeals shall make no decision upon the application until receipt of all such reports, or until 45 days have elapsed since date of application without such reports.

**4436. Criteria.** Approval of a Cluster Development shall be granted upon Board of Appeals determination that the plan complies with the requirements of Section 4440, and that the plan is superior to a conventional one in preserving open space for conservation or recreation; in utilizing natural features of the land; in allowing more efficient provision of streets, utilities, and other public services; and at least equal to a conventional plan in other respects.

#### **4440. Requirements**

A Cluster Development must conform to the following:

##### **4441. Number of Dwelling Units.**

- a) The maximum number of dwelling units allowed in a Cluster Development shall equal the "Applicable Land Area" divided by the lot area requirements for a single-family dwelling in that district, multiplied by the following incentive factors; then rounded to the nearest whole number:

<b>Applicable Land Area</b>	<b>Incentive Factor</b>
less than 20 acres	1.00
20 - 50 acres	1.10
50 - 75 acres	1.20
75+ acres	1.30

- b) "Applicable Land Area" shall be determined by a registered land surveyor, and equal the total area encompassed by the Overall Development Plan minus land subject to either inland or coastal wetland regulations (Sec. 40, Ch. 131, G.L.); minus land otherwise prohibited from development by local bylaw or regulation; and minus land designated on the plan for uses not primarily servicing residents of the development.
- c) Where the Cluster Development includes more than one ownership, and/or lies in more than one district, the number of units allowed shall be calculated as above for each district and summed to give an overall allowable total, which may be located on the plan without respect to allowable subtotals by district or ownership areas.

4442. **Allowable Uses.** Uses allowed at any location shall be only those allowed in the district in which the location lies.

4443. **Dimensional Regulations.** Lot size, lot width, setback, coverage, yard and height regulations shall be the following:

Minimum lot size .....	15,000 sq. ft.
Minimum lot width at proposed building line ....	100 feet
Minimum front yard .....	30 feet
Minimum side and rear yard .....	12 feet*
Maximum lot coverage .....	25%
Maximum height .....	30 feet

\*Except not less than the requirements of Section 2600 for yards in the Development abutting other property.

4444. **Improvements.** Access, drainage, utilities, and grading shall meet functional standards equivalent to those established in the Planning Board's adopted Subdivision Regulations. Prior to issuance of building permits within a Cluster Development, the Planning Board shall certify to the Building Inspector that a detailed site plan has been submitted to them and meets those standards, and before occupancy permits for any structure are issued, the Planning Board shall certify to the Building Inspector that improvements to meet such standards have either been completed to serve such structure, or security for their completion has been received.

4445. **Open Space.** All land not designated for roads, dwellings, or other development within the Cluster Development

shall be held for common use of the residents of the development. Common open space shall be preserved for recreation or conservation, and shall comprise not less than 30% of the "Applicable Land Area" within the Development Plan. Ownership of common open space areas shall be arranged and maintenance permanently assured through an incorporated home owner's association, condominium deeds, or other recorded land agreement through which each lot owner in the development is automatically a member and each lot is subject to a charge for a share of the maintenance expenses, or through comparable arrangement satisfactory to the Board of Appeals. Preservation shall be guaranteed through dedication, by covenant or comparable legal instrument, to the community use and enjoyment of residents of the development tract, for recreational purposes serving those residents and their non-paying guests only, or for conservation. In addition, the town shall be granted an easement over such land sufficient to ensure its perpetual maintenance as conservation or recreation land. Building coverage shall not exceed 5% in such conservation or recreation areas.

**4446. Long-term Compliance.** Subsequent to approval of such Cluster Development, no land therein shall be sold and no lot line or structure altered from that shown on the Overall Development Plan so as to increase the extent of nonconformity with the standard dimensional regulations of this Bylaw (See Section 2600). Prior to sale of any lot within a Cluster Development, or issuance of a building permit for construction therein, such lots shall be shown on a plan recorded in the Registry of Deeds or registered with the Land Court, which plan shall make reference to the recorded land agreements referred to in Section 4445. Unless the Board of Appeals has specifically approved staged development, such plan shall show all lots to be included in the Development.

#### **4500 PLANNED DEVELOPMENT**

**4510.** The Board of Appeals may grant a special permit for the construction and occupancy of a Planned Development in a Ridge District, subject to the following regulations and conditions.

**4520.** All provisions of Section 4400, Cluster Development shall apply and be complied with.

**4530.** The following additional requirements shall apply:



4531. The nearest point of the Overall Development Plan shall lie within 5000 feet via arterial streets from a point of egress from a limited-access highway. The plan shall include at least 200 feet frontage on an arterial street.

4532. The Overall Development Plan shall include at least 25 acres.

4533. The total land area devoted to hotels, motels, inns and non-residential uses shall equal at least 1½ times the aggregate floor area of such uses, and lot coverage shall not exceed 25%.

4534. No building shall be floodlit, and parking areas shall be illuminated only by shielded lights not higher than twenty feet.

4535. No parking shall be within 25 feet of a street line or the boundary of the Planned Development. No building shall be closer to any other than 15 feet or the height of the building, whichever is the greater.

4540. The Board of Appeals shall grant a Special Permit for a Planned Development only if such development is consistent with the purposes of the Ridge District, as stated in Section 2140, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

It was moved, seconded and the motion was carried that the reading of the article be dispensed with and the meeting act on the article as printed in the Warrant.

The Article was then moved and seconded, as printed in the Warrant.

Mr. Bryden, for the Planning Board, explained the article, saying that on June 22, 1970, the Town of Sandwich adopted a very progressive Zoning By-law, one of the most innovative sections of which was Section 4400, which dealt with Cluster Developments. The purpose of the article was to provide a land subdivision "superior to a conventional plan in preserving open space for conservation or recreation, utilizing the natural features of the land, and allowing more efficient provision of public services; and at least equal to a conventional plan, in other respects." Basically, the idea was to encourage land owners to use the Cluster Development to provide open space by permitting smaller lots but retaining the same density requirements as for the conventional grid



plan. As it developed, there was not enough incentive to induce the land owner to use the new concept. It became evident to our Planning Consultant and to some members of the Planning Board that some incentive would have to be offered if we were to induce the land owner to go to the extra engineering expense for the Cluster Zone. This, basically, is the reason for Article 40.

Mr. Bryden went on to say that this Article was recommended by the Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission and also the Association for the Preservation of Cape Cod.

Mr. Wright spoke against the article, emphasizing the incentives given, and feeling very definitely that the Article as it was presented gave too great incentives and the Bylaw as it now is, was superior to this as presented in the Article.

He moved that consideration of the article be indefinitely postponed, and that was seconded and declared VOTED.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install sub-surface drainage in the residential section of Town Neck (formerly a Sun Valley development) to protect the health, safety and property of those who reside there, or do anything relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Mr. Hamlen explained that there was ample justification for this article, but before a drainage system can be installed it is necessary to have an engineering survey and plan, and the Town Engineer has estimated that such required information will cost \$25,000.00. Mr. Hamlen moved and the motion was seconded that the Town raise and appropriate \$25,000.00 for an Engineering Study of surface drainage in the Sandwich Beach Shores area for future construction consideration.

There was considerable discussion of the article, the location and the wording of it. Mr. Hiler explained that without a plan it would be impractical to consider putting in drainage. The plan would be a complete study.

The motion was made and seconded for indefinite postponement. The Moderator declared the motion not carried.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$25,000.00 for an Engineering Study of surface drainage in the Sandwich Beach Shores area for future construction consideration.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote a sum of money to install a sewerage system in the residential section of Town Neck (formerly a Sun Valley development) to insure the health and safety of those who reside there, or do anything relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Mr. Hamlen explained that a petition had been filed for this Article, and the Finance Committee fully appreciated the need, but felt that nothing can be considered for any one section. Without a plan and some means of disposing of the effluent, further consideration is out of the question.

He moved and the motion was seconded that Article 42 be indefinitely postponed. Postponement of the Article was declared VOTED.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town Bylaws by adding to Article IV thereof an additional section to read as follows:

Section 3. "No land acquired by the Town through tax title proceedings shall be sold or otherwise disposed of until it shall have first been determined by a vote at a Town Meeting whether or not said land shall be held by the Town as Conservation land, with the custody and control thereof being transferred to the Conservation Commission for all purposes included in Section 8C of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as it now reads or may hereafter be amended, or shall be held by the Town for some other specific municipal purpose."

(By Petition)

Mr. Hamlen explained that this was a legal petition filed with the Board of Selectmen requesting this change in the Town By-law. No members of the Conservation Commission were signers. The Conservation Commission has been told that any parcels acquired by the Town that were important for conservation or recreation would be made available to the Commission. Other parcels it was felt should be sold at public sale after proper advertising, so as to be added as taxable property to increase the Town's tax base. It was felt that the acceptance of this proposed by-law goes beyond the intent of the General Laws regarding tax title property, as there is no indication in the General Laws that Town Meeting action is in any way involved in the process of disposing of property acquired through this procedure. It was felt by the Finance Committee that this is an unnecessary approach and only further involves a complicated legal procedure.

The Article was moved and seconded, and there was discussion on present procedures, with Mr. Hiler explaining that land is now advertised three times, a week apart, plus additional posting in the Town; he said that next year property will become available. After further discussion, it was

**VOTED:** That the Town amend the Sandwich Town By-Laws by adding to ARTICLE IV thereof, an additional Section to read as follows:

**SECTION 3.** "No land acquired by the Town through tax title proceedings shall be sold or otherwise disposed of until it shall have first been determined by a vote at a Town Meeting whether or not said land shall be held by the Town as Conservation Land, with the custody and control thereof being transferred to the Conservation Commission for all purposes included in Section 8C of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as it now reads or may hereafter be amended, or shall be held by the Town for some other specific municipal purpose."

The Moderator declared this Article carried by a voice vote.

**ARTICLE 44.** To see if the Town will vote to change the name of the Town Way, which is the section bordering Snake Pond, and is recorded in some places as Pocasset Road and others as Snake Pond Road, which conflicts with a more recent County Layout of the road from Route 130 to the Sandwich Otis Gate, recorded as Snake Pond Road, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town rename that section of the Town Way which branches off of the Town Way which extends from Route 130 to the Sandwich Gate at Otis Air Force Base which previously had been named and known as Snake Pond Road to Old Snake Pond Road.

**ARTICLE 45.** To see if the Town will vote to discontinue that section of Wood Avenue shown on plan filed with the Selectmen entitled "Plan of Land to be Abandoned by the Town of Sandwich Massachusetts" scale 1"=40', dated January 1973 by Town Engineer, William Taylor, R.L.S., and vote to sell the discontinued section of Wood Avenue to Robert and Rose Marie Gianferante for the sum of \$1.00, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town discontinue that section of Wood Avenue shown on a plan filed with the



Selectmen entitled "Plan of Land to be Abandoned by the Town of Sandwich, Massachusetts" scale 1"=40', dated January 1973 by Town Engineer, William Taylor, R. L. S. and to sell the discontinued section of Wood Avenue to Robert and Rose Marie Gianferante for the sum of \$1.00.

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will accept the sum of \$4,000.00 for the purpose of establishing the "Elizabeth T. VanBuskirk Scholarship Fund" for graduates of Sandwich High School desiring to pursue a career to be a registered nurse and/or registered pharmacist, or act thereon.

VOTED: That the Town accept the sum of \$4,000.00 to establish the "Elizabeth T. VanBurskirk Scholarship Fund" for graduates of Sandwich High School desiring to pursue a career as a Registered Nurse and/or Registered Pharmacist, and that said scholarship fund shall be administered in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

1. That an initial scholarship may be granted to a graduate of the Class of 1974 of Sandwich High School in the amount of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) which shall be paid from accumulated interest of this fund.
2. That this scholarship shall be granted only to a recipient(s) pursuing a career as a Registered Nurse and/or Registered Pharmacist.
3. That any grant of this scholarship fund shall be paid to the recipient upon completion of his or her first semester and prior to the commencement of the second semester.
4. That the recipient(s) shall be selected on the basis of desire, personality and ambition, as well as scholastic achievement.
5. That the recipient(s) shall be selected by a committee of five, composed of the following:
  - (a) Chairman of the Board of Selectmen
  - (b) Principal of the Sandwich High School
  - (c) Three members of the family of Elizabeth T. VanBuskirk
  - (d) The aforementioned members of the family of Elizabeth T. VanBuskirk shall be submitted to the Town Clerk on or before March 1st of 1974 and shall serve for a term of five years, after which the said family shall submit a list for each and every subsequent term of five years.



6. At such time as the accumulated interest allows for the payment of an additional scholarship grant of \$200.00, then two scholarship grants shall be offered for the purposes set forth herein, however, the committee may elect, by unanimous vote, to grant both scholarships to the same recipient.
7. The scholarship grant and/or grants provided for per the terms and conditions set forth herein may be increased at such time as the accumulated interest of this fund allows, however, any increase shall be by unanimous vote of the committee.
8. Any modification and/or amendments to the terms and conditions set forth herein shall be by unanimous vote of the committee.

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will accept the layout of a section of Chipman Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated December, 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of a section of Chipman Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated December 1972, and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Crowell Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Crowell Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the

Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary, therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose. The Moderator declared the vote 240 Yes, 4 No.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will accept the layout of a section of Kiah's Way as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated October 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of a section of Kiah's Way as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated October 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Herring Run as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Herring Run as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Lakewood Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and

appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept the layout of Lakewood Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1972 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

**ARTICLE 52.** To see if the Town will accept the layout of Moody Drive and a section of Webster Avenue, as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated January 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept the layout of Moody Drive and a section of Webster Avenue, as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated January 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

**ARTICLE 53.** To see if the Town will accept the layout of a section of Freedom Road and Friendly Road, as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated January 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefore and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept the layout of a section of Freedom Road and Friendly Road, as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen, in accordance with the plans thereof dated January 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.



ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will authorize the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a Vacu-Sweep Street Sweeper, for the Highway Department and to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the April 1973 payment of the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund, to be transferred from the Special Savings Account, when needed, or do anything relative thereto.

This Article was moved and seconded. Mr. Hamlen explained that the purchase of a capital outlay of this type of equipment is permitted with funds from the Federal Revenue Sharing money and since the law allows the anticipated use within reason of the money committed by the Federal Law, it is projected to purchase this piece of equipment with the payment due on April 5, 1973.

Mr. VanBuskirk, in answer to a question, gave an explanation of the type of equipment.

VOTED: That the Town authorize the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, a street sweeper, for the Highway Department and to transfer and appropriate \$30,000.00 from the April 1973 payment of the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund, to be transferred from the Special Savings Account when needed. The Moderator declared the motion carried by a majority, by voice vote.

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, a Pickup Truck for the Highway Department, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen noted that additional transportation was needed in the Highway Department and the Pickup could be used for this as well as small jobs not needing a larger truck. The Article was moved and seconded.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 for the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, a pickup truck for the Highway Department.

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article 1, Section 1 of the Town of Sandwich Bylaws so as to change the date of the Annual Town Meeting from the first Monday in March to the first Monday in May, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Hamlen said that it seemed advisable to hold the Annual Town Meeting under the new fiscal year law at a time



closer to the end of the fiscal year and yet before the July 1st start of another fiscal year.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town amend Article 1, Section 1, of the Town of Sandwich Bylaws so as to change the date of the Annual Town Meeting from the first Monday in March to the first Monday in May so that Section 1, of Article 1 will read as follows:

The Annual Town Meeting for the appropriation of money for Town purposes, the election of Town Officers, and all other matters that may properly come before it, shall be held on the first Monday in May each year, at such place within the Town as the Selectmen shall in the Warrant designate; and all Special Meetings for whatever purpose shall be held at such place or places as the Selectmen shall so designate.

The meeting shall be opened by the Moderator who shall present the Articles in the Warrant in the order in which they appear, unless the voters present shall prescribe a different order.

**ARTICLE 57.** To elect the following officers:

One Selectman for a term of three years.

One Assessor for a term of three years.

One Moderator for a term of three years.

One Constable for a term of three years.

Two Members of the School Committee for a term of three years.

One Member of the Board of Health for a term of three years.

Three Trustees of the Sandwich Public Library for a term of three years.

One Trustee of the Weston Memorial Fund for a term of three years.

Two Trustees of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building for a term of three years.

One Member of the Planning Board for a term of five years.

One Highway Surveyor for a term of three years.

One Tree Warden for a term of three years.

One Member of the Sandwich Housing Authority for a term of five years.

One member of the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School District Committee for a term of three years.

And all other candidates that may appear on the official ballot.

It was unanimously voted to adjourn to meet for election on Thursday, March 8, 1973, at eight o'clock in the morning, at the Henry T. Wing School.

The meeting adjourned at 10:50 P.M

Thursday, March 8, 1973, Henry T. Wing School

VOTED:

SELECTMAN

Carl H. Hiler	978
Horace E. Carr	926
Clyde Gill	1
David Wright	1
Blanks	28
Total	1934

MODERATOR

William A. Bullock	1287
James M. Foley	532
Blanks	115
Total	1934

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Betty E. Bridges	777
Richard E. Canning, Jr.	646
William R. Hendy, Jr.	930
David P. Persson	1069
Walter Newcomb	1
Daisy Vance	1
Barbara Lehner	1
Bruce Stanford	1
Blanks	442
Total	3868

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Clarence R. VanBuskirk	1537
Arthur Souza	1
William Donovan	1
Joseph Vaudo	1
James Swift	1
Robert Purdy	1
Alvin Crocker	1
William Ellis	2
Robert Whearty	2

George Fernandez	1
P. LeBlanc	1
Dennis Earle	2
David Beauchemin	2
George McKee	1
Roy Cahoon	1
Richard Gibbs	1
Charley Maley	1
Mike Mooney	1
Blanks	376

Total	1934
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## ASSESSOR

Carl H. Hiler	979
Horace E. Carr	935
David Wright	1
Blanks	19

Total	1934
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## CONSTABLE

Haskell E. Hawkins	974
Robert D. Whearty, Jr.	822
Nils Soderberg	1
Robert Quirk	1
James Swift	1
Roy Cahoon	3
David Bowie	1
P. H. Peterson	1
Bart McKay	1
Gordon Wallace	1
Blanks	128

Total	1934
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## BOARD OF HEALTH

Robert D. McKillop	890
George P. Russell	782
Robert Kreykenbohm	1
E. Bartlett McKay	1
Richard Atwood	1
Roy Cahoon, Jr.	1
Blanks	258

Total	1934
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## TREE WARDEN

William J. Ellis	1623
David Beauchemin	1
Robert Whearty	1
James Swift	2
Crawford Hoxie	1
Richard Capen	1
Robert George	3
Foster Willoughby	1
Jack Straw	1
Blanks	300
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Total	1934

## PLANNING BOARD

Edward W. Osgood, Jr.	727
David W. Allen	1119
Clinton Dunbar	1
Robert Whearty	1
Edward Ewer	1
Blanks	85
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Total	1934

## LIBRARY TRUSTEE

Kathryn Bourne	1493
Robert M. Felton	1407
Dorothy A. Fisher	1348
Claire Dunbar	1
William Adolphson	1
Claire Magnant	1
Albert Morse	1
Carol Jones	1
Elizabeth Durham	1
George Elvander	1
Henry Buckley	1
E. Bartlett McKay	2
Richard Poisson	2
Robert Cahoon	1
Richard Cahoon	1
Elizabeth Rooney	1
Pat McKeon	1
Blanks	1538
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Total	5802



## CLARK HADDAD BUILDING—NON-VETERAN

Carl E. Bazzinotti	968
Dennis A. Earle	812
James Swift	1
Blanks	153
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Total	1934

## HOUSING AUTHORITY

Allen R. Carpenter	1048
George Fernandez	750
Barbara Walling	1
Blanks	135
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Total	1934

## TRUSTEE WESTON MEMORIAL FUND

David C. Hopkins	1529
Edward Ewer	1
Elizabeth McArdle	1
Blanks	403
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Total	1934

## CLARK HADDAD BUILDING—VETERAN

Clarence R. VanBuskirk	1535
John Erickson	2
Arthur Souza	1
Jean Cervantes	1
Robert Purdy	1
James Swift	1
James Foley	1
Robert Whearty	1
Edward Ewer	1
George McKee	1
Roy Cahoon	1
Ferdinand Alvezi	1
Blanks	387
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Total	1934

UPPER CAPE COD VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
COMMITTEE

Edgar E. Caron	1599
William Smith	1
Fred Lehmann	1

Paul Quirk	1
Caesar Alvezi	1
Watler Cahoon	1
Blanks	330
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Total	1934

A True Record of the 1973 Annual Town Meeting and  
Election.

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk

# Report of Special Town Meeting

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**August 6, 1973**

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator, Willia mA. Bullock, in the Henry T. Wing School Auditorium.

The Moderator appointed four tellers for the meeting: Messrs Robert Bridges, Russell Lovell, Jr., William Ward and Raymond Hart.

By unanimous vote, the reading of the complete Warrant was dispensed with.

Mr. Hiler, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, requested permission to make a few remarks concerning taxes. He explained the projected rate for 1973, and for the first six months of 1974, to be announced after approval in Boston.

**ARTICLE 1.** To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift, a deed from Forge Realty Company of Lot Number 81 as shown on Subdivision Plan No. 6139-N dated August 2, 1972, and filed in the Land Registration Office, being the lot at the junction of Snake Pond Road and Old Snake Pond Road.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept as a gift a deed from Forge Realty Company of Lot Number 81 as shown on Subdivision Plan No. 6139-N dated August 2, 1972, and filed in the Land Registration Office, being the lot at the junction of Snake Pond Road and Old Snake Pond Road and to extend appreciation to Mr. Larry Gluck' for his consideration.

**ARTICLE 2.** To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift a parcel of land from Lester E. Geary, et ux, located off of Phillips Road in the Sagamore Beach Section of Sandwich and shown on the Assessors Map 20 as Parcel D2 and including Lots 928 to 933 inclusive, Lots 1000 to 1002 inclusive, and parts of Lots 925, 926, 927, 1003, 1004 and 1005, which lots are divided by the Bourne-Sandwich line. Said lots are shown on Sheet 20 of the Assessors Maps containing an area of 20 acres, more or less. The land to be held and administrated by the Conservation Commission for Conservation purposes and to be known as "Geary-Lea."

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept as a gift a parcel of land from Lester E. and Adrienne M. Geary,

husband and wife, located off Phillips Road in the Sagamore Beach Section of Sandwich and shown on the Assessors Map No. 20, as Parcel D2, and including Lots 928-933 inclusive, Lots 1000-1002 inclusive and part of Lots 925, 926, 927, 1003, 1004 and 1005, which partial lots are divided by the Bourne-Sandwich Town Line, the total area containing 20 acres, the land to be held and administered by the Conservation Commission for conservation purposes and to be known as "Geary-Lea" and to extend appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Geary for their consideration in adding to the conservation holdings by the Town for the preservation for the future.

**ARTICLE 3.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the following cemetery perpetual care funds, now in the hands of the Treasurer, the income to be used for perpetual care of lots in Bay View Cemetery.

Leo J. Benoit	\$200.00
William A. Winsor	\$250.00

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept the following Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds now in the hands of the Treasurer, the income to be used for perpetual care of lots in Bay View Cemetery.

Leo J. Benoit	\$200.00
William A. Winsor	\$250.00

**ARTICLE 4.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to acquire by purchase or eminent domain the property at No. 4 Water Street recorded in the name of Mary Crockett Peebles as shown on the Assessors Maps as Parcels T-14-1 on Sheet No. 6 and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for said purposes, or do anything relative thereto.

**VOTED:** That the Town authorize and instruct the Selectmen to acquire by purchase or eminent domain the property at No. 4 Water Street recorded in the name of Mary Crockett Peebles as shown on Assessors Maps as Parcel T-14-1 on Sheet No. 6 and to raise and appropriate \$30,000.00 and to transfer \$30,000.00 from Surplus Revenue for said purpose. The vote was a hand vote; 234 yes, 26 no.

**ARTICLE 5.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the 1973 Federal Revenue Sharing Fund now on deposit in a Special Savings Account to the Library Appropriation Account to cover additional cost of the remodeling of the basement room and the purchase of



additional equipment for library requirements, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Library Trustees)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town transfer and appropriate \$5,450.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund on deposit in a Special Savings Account to the Library Appropriation Account to cover additional cost of the remodeling of the basement room and for the purchase of additional equipment for library requirements.

**ARTICLE 6.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to adjust the salaries of Police Officers while working at the Police Communication Center so that the salary will conform with the rate of pay of Special Police Officers, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Police Chief)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$2,500.00 to adjust the salaries of Police Officers while working in the Police Communications Center so that the salary will conform with the rate of pay of Special Police Officers when working outside assignments.

**ARTICLE 7.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the removal of additional dead elm trees, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Tree Warden)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for the removal of dead elm trees.

**ARTICLE 8.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Ice Hockey Program which has been accepted by the School Department as one of the School Athletic Activities, said money to be added to the Recreation Committee's Appropriation to complete the Program for the 1973-1974 season, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Recreation Committee)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 to the Recreation Committee Appropriation Account to cover the cost of the Ice Hockey Program for the 1973-1974 season.

**ARTICLE 9.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the construction and equipping of a dog kennel on Town owned property on Route 130 for the needs of the Dog Officer in the enforcement of the dog laws, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Dog Officer)

**VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$12,800.00 for the construction and equipping of a dog kennel on Town owned property on Route 130 for the needs of the Dog Officer in the enforcement of the dog laws.

**ARTICLE 10.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee for expenses in connection with the promotion of the Burgess Centennial in 1974, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Burgess Centennial Committee)

**VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,500.00 for the Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee for expenses in connection with the promotion of the Thornton Burgess Centennial in 1974.

**ARTICLE 11.** To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following Sign By-Law, and to amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting Section 3300 Sign Regulations, effective upon the effective date of the new Sign By-Law. (Request of the Sign By-Law Study Committee)

## **SANDWICH SIGN CODE**

### **Section 1. Purpose and Adoption**

This By-Law shall be known as the Sandwich Sign Code, and is adopted under Section 29, Chapter 93, G. L.

The purpose of this By-Law is to provide for the reasonable regulation and control of the erection and maintenance of signs and advertising devices within the Town to the end that the appearance and amenities of the Town may be preserved and enhanced, without unduly restricting the conduct of lawful enterprise. For this purpose, the following terms shall have the meanings hereinafter ascribed to them.

### **Section 2. Definitions**

**Sign** shall mean any device designed to inform or attract attention of persons not on the premises on which the device is located. The following, however, shall not be considered signs within the context of this By-Law:

- a) flags and insignia of any government except when displayed in connection with commercial promotion,
- b) legal notices, or informational signs erected or required by government bodies,
- c) temporary signs erected for a charitable or religious cause,
- d) temporary signs inside display windows, covering not

more than 20 percent of window area, illuminated by building illumination only,

- e) standard gasoline pumps bearing thereon in usual size and form the name, type, and price of gasoline,
- f) signs guiding and directing traffic, not exceeding one square foot.

**Sign Area** shall mean the surface area within a single continuous perimeter enclosing all the display area of the sign, including borders, decorative structural members and without deduction for open space or other irregularities, but not including structural members not bearing advertising matter unless internally or decoratively lighted. One side only of a flat, back to back sign shall be counted.

### **Section 3. Administration**

- a) This By-Law shall be **administered** by the Office of the Building Inspector. No sign shall be erected without a permit issued by the Building Inspector, for which a \$5.00 fee shall be charged, and which shall not be issued for any sign except in conformance with this By-Law.
- b) When the provisions of this Code, or of the drawing and specifications approved thereunder, are not complied with, a Stop Work or Removal Order shall be served on the owner or his representative by the Building Inspector, and a copy thereof shall be posted at the site of the violation. Such Stop Work or Removal Order shall not be removed except by written notice from the Building Inspector's Office after satisfactory evidence has been supplied that the violation has been corrected. Failure to comply with such Stop Work or Removal Order shall constitute a violation of this By-Law.
- c) The Inspector, in the name of the Town, shall take measures as required to carry this By-Law into effect.
- d) Any person violating any of the provisions of this By-Law shall be fined not more than \$20.00 for each offense. Each day that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense.
- e) Persons aggrieved by this By-Law or by actions of the Building Inspector relative to it, and persons seeking special permits as allowed hereunder or variances from the provisions of this By-Law, may appeal or apply to the Sign Code Board of Appeals, whose procedures and decision criteria in acting on such appeals and applications shall be those prescribed in Section 17 of Chapter 40A of the General Laws as amended.



- f) The Sign Code Board of Appeals shall be made up of five regular members, and two alternates, appointed by the Selectmen. The regular members shall be appointed, after the initial appointments, for five years, with one regular member appointed each year, and alternates to be appointed annually.

#### Section 4. Size and Number of Signs

The following shall apply in all zoning districts, except where otherwise specified.

- a) Each individual business enterprise on a single lot may have no more than two signs, either attached to a building or free standing, with a combined area of not more than 16 square feet. Miscellaneous signs such as auto club, credit card, or vacancy signs must be incorporated into the principal sign within its borders and included in its area. Home occupations may have only one sign of not over 2 square feet.

- b) Groups of three or more businesses on a single lot, such as a "plaza" or "shopping center," may as an alternative to signs as above, have one sign, identifying the plaza or center name, with maximum size of:

Up to 5 stores or 4,000 square feet floor area . . . 16 square feet

6 - 8 stores or 4,001 - 10,000 square feet floor area . . . 20 square feet

9+ stores or 10,001+ square feet floor area . . . 24 square feet

In addition, each individual business within the plaza or shopping center shall be allowed a wall sign having a total sign area of  $\frac{1}{2}$  square foot for each lineal foot horizontal length of the facade of the building. The length of the sign shall not exceed  $\frac{3}{4}$  the length of the building and shall not project more than 6" from the face of the building. For a building with multiple occupancy, the length of the sign for each unit may not exceed  $\frac{3}{4}$  the length of the unit and shall not project more than 6" from the face of the building.

All such signs within a plaza or shopping center shall be consistent in structural design and in color. If the building has multiple frontage, an additional sign area computed on the same basis as above shall be allowed. Additional sign area allowed by reason of multiple frontage shall be allowed only on a sign facing that frontage.



- c) A dwelling may have a single sign not over two square feet in area indicating the owners or occupants or pertaining to a permitted accessory use.
- d) A farm, institutional use, or non-commercial recreational use may have a single sign not over nine (9) square feet in area.
- e) Driveway signs (entrance, no turning, no parking, etc.) are allowed for private driveways, but shall not exceed one square foot in sign face area, and shall bear no advertising.
- f) One For Sale or Rent sign only may be erected on the property to be sold or rented and shall not exceed three (3) square feet in sign face area. Such a sign shall be removed forthwith when the transaction is completed.
- g) One subdivision name sign not to exceed twelve (12) square feet may be permitted for each designated main entry to the subdivision, as shown on a plan approved by Planning Board.
- h) Temporary construction identification signs are allowed and may have an area of 9 square feet. Such signs shall be removed forthwith when the project is completed.

#### **Section 5. Prohibitions**

- a) Only signs pertaining to the premises on which they are located or to products, accommodations, services or activities on the premises shall be allowed. Billboards of a general advertising nature are prohibited. However, an off-premise directional sign not exceeding three (3) square feet may be allowed in any zoning district on Special Permit from the Sign Code Board of Appeals, upon their determination that such will serve the public convenience without detriment to the neighborhood.  
At road intersections where two or more different business directional signs are permitted, a multiple listing sign shall be required.
- b) When visible from a highway, no advertising shall be permitted on storage tanks or similar types of containers. This restriction applies to both permanently located and mobile units, and trailers and trucks regularly located for fixed display.
- c) Signs on trees, etc. Except for signs warning of danger or prohibiting trespass or the like, no sign shall be painted on or affixed to any tree, fence, utility pole, rock or ledge, nor painted or posted on any wall, without an intermediary removable substance.

- d) Temporary signs tacked, posted, painted or otherwise attached to poles, posts, trees, rocks, sidewalks, or curbs, or to motor vehicles and trailers regularly located for fixed display are prohibited.
- e) Pennants, streamers, advertising flags, spinners or similar devices are prohibited.
- f) No sign, free standing or attached, shall exceed the height of the building or 20 feet in height, whichever is the lesser. At no point shall any sign extend beyond the roof line.
- g) No sign, or any part thereof, shall be within the layout of a public way. No sign shall obstruct highway vision.
- h) Moving or flashing signs. No sign or any part thereof which is designed intentionally to move or oscillate shall be permitted. A sign which is designed, for structural reason, to align itself with the direction of the wind shall not be considered a moving sign.
- i) Signs shall be illuminated from the exterior only, by stationary shielded light directed solely at the sign, without causing glare for motorists, pedestrians or neighboring premises. Signs of the exposed neon or other gas filled tube type are prohibited. No sign shall be internally illuminated.

#### **Section 6. Signs and Town Property**

- a) Private signs on Town property are prohibited, unless a permit for such a sign is authorized by the Board of Selectmen. No such authorization shall be given until after a duly advertised public hearing; any such signs shall conform in all respects to all other provisions of this section. Permits for such signs may be revoked at any time by the Board of Selectmen.
- b) No sign overhanging a pedestrian way may exceed 12 square feet. At the time of application, proof must be shown or provided of adequate public liability insurance coverage applicable to signs suspended over town property.

#### **Section 7. Nonconforming Signs**

Except as otherwise provided herein, any sign existing at the time of enactment of this By-Law which does not conform to its provisions is a nonconforming sign. Each nonconforming sign shall conform to the provisions hereof by 3 years from the enactment of this Code; provided, however, that all prohibited signs described in Section 5 shall be removed no later than one year from enactment. Thereafter, any non-

conforming sign, which has not been authorized by the Sign Code Board of Appeals as hereinbefore provided, shall be removed. Nonconforming signs which are structurally altered, relocated, or replaced, or which are not properly maintained, shall comply immediately with all provisions of this By-Law.

#### **Section 8. Historic District Signs.**

All signs in the Historic District must also comply with the requirements of the Historic District Commission.

#### **Section 9. Maintenance.**

All signs, whether erected prior to the effective date of this section or not, shall be maintained in a safe and neat condition to the satisfaction of the Office of the Building Inspector. Failure to correct a violation of this provision within 20 days after notice thereof shall constitute grounds for revocation of the permit, or for removal of the sign.

#### **Section 10. Separability.**

The invalidity of any section or provision of this By-Law shall not invalidate any other section or provision thereof.

#### **Section 11. Amendment**

This By-Law may be amended from time to time by vote at any Town Meeting, either annual or special.  
or act in relation thereto. (Request of the Sign By-Law Study Committee)

Mr. Roberti introduced an amendment to the motion to strike the language "and to amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting Section 3300 Sign Regulations, effective upon the effective date of the new Sign By-Law."

This amendment was voted by voice vote and declared carried.

**VOTED:** Article 11, as amended, was then voted, by hand vote, 148 in favor, 84 against, and declared **Carried** by a majority vote, as a Town By-Law.

**ARTICLE 12.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the salary and expenses of an Assistant Building Inspector to administrate the Sign By-Law, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Sign By-Law Study Committee)

**VOTED:** By a hand vote, this Article was **not carried**; 96 yes, 136 no.

**ARTICLE 13.** To see if the Town will vote to amend Article 1, Section 2 of the Town of Sandwich By-Laws so as



to change the date required to file articles for an Annual Town Meeting from January 15 to March 15 since the Annual Town Meeting date has been advanced from the first Monday in March to the first Monday in May.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town amend Article 1 Section 2, of the Town of Sandwich By-Laws so as to change the date required to file articles for the Annual Town Meeting by changing the date from January 15 to March 15 so that Section 2 of Article 1 of the Town By-Laws will read as follows:

"The Selectmen shall insert in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, all Articles, the insertion of which shall be requested of them in writing by ten or more registered voters of the Town, if such Articles are received by the Selectmen on or before March 15, preceding the Annual Town Meeting; and also any articles properly requested for insertion in the Warrant for a Special Town Meeting, if such articles are received at least 15 days before the date announced by the Selectmen for holding such Special Town Meeting."

**ARTICLE 14.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Conservation Commission to apply for and accept any available State or Federal Funds to apply toward the purchase of the Robert S. Swain property which previously had been authorized for purchase by the Conservation Commission for conservation purposes under Article 16 of the Annual Town Meeting of March 5, 1973. (Request of the Conservation Commission)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town authorize the Conservation Commission to apply for and accept any available State or Federal funds to apply towards the purchase of the Robert S. Swain property which previously had been authorized for purchase by the Conservation Commission for conservation purposes under Article 16 of the Annual Town Meeting of March 5, 1973.

Mr. Peter Beauchemin made the motion that the meeting consider Article 24 next; it was seconded and declared defeated by voice vote.

**ARTICLE 15.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court of the Commonwealth to authorize the Town of Sandwich to grant Tenure of Office to the Chief of the Sandwich Fire Department, or to take any other action thereon. (Request of the Board of Fire Engineers)



**VOTED:** That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court of the Commonwealth to authorize the Town of Sandwich to grant tenure of office to the Chief of the Sandwich Fire Department.

**ARTICLE 16.** To see if the Town will vote to designate the following roads as Scenic Roads, as requested by the Planning Board, and as provided by Section 15-C, Chapter 40 of the General Laws:

Old County Road  
 Spring Hill Road  
 Shawme Road  
 Grove Street  
 Pine Street  
 Main Street—east from Town Hall to Route 6A

**VOTED:** That the Town designate the following roads as Scenic Roads, as requested by the Planning Board, and as provided by Section 15-C, Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

Old County Road  
 Spring Hill Road  
 Shawme Road  
 Grove Street  
 Pine Street  
 Main Street—east from Town Hall to Route 6A

**ARTICLE 17.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law as follows:

Step 1. Amend Section 2600, Intensity of Use Schedule, by deleting "RD" from the column heading of the last column, and by adding a new column labelled "RD", to read as follows:

	RD
Minimum lot area (sq. ft.) <sup>b</sup>	60,000
Minimum lot frontage (ft.)	200
Minimum front yard <sup>c</sup> (ft.)	40
Minimum side, rear yards <sup>d,*</sup> (ft.)	30
Maximum lot coverage (%)	25
Maximum building height	30

Step 2. Revise Section 4543 (in Planned Development) to read as follows:

"4543. The total land area devoted to multiple residence, single family residences, and permanent open space shall equal at least 60,000 square feet times the total number of dwelling units."

or act in relation thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Article 17 was unanimously voted as printed above.

**ARTICLE 18.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law as follows:

1. Section 2110: revise the line "Business Limited BL" to read "Business Limited BL-1, BL-2".
2. Section 2140: redesignate the paragraph now headed "BUSINESS LIMITED: BL--" as BUSINESS LIMITED: BL-1 --", and add the following directly below that paragraph:  
"BUSINESS LIMITED: BL-2 -- To provide for all scales of business development for local, regional, or transient service, with purposes otherwise the same as for BL-1".
3. Section 2310: Add the following row directly below the row "Restaurant", and footnotes where appropriate:

	R-20					
	R-40	BL	IND	MAR	RD	S
Major Commercial Complex <sup>a</sup>						
<sup>a</sup> See Definition	N	S <sup>a</sup>	N	N	SD	N
<sup>a</sup> In BL-2 only						

4. Article V. Add the following definition:  
"Major Commercial Complex: Facilities for retail trade or service containing more than 10,000 square feet gross floor area or comprising more than two enterprises on the same premises."
5. Section 2600: delete and replace with the following:  
"2600 Intensity of Use Schedule  
(See Section 4540 for Planned Development requirements)  
(See Section 4640 for Multi-family dwelling requirements)

	R-20, S	BL-2		
	BL-1 <sup>a</sup> , MAR	IND	R-40	RD
Min. lot area (sq. ft.) <sup>b</sup>	20,000	40,000	40,000	40,000
Min. lot frontage (ft.)	125	150	150	150
Min. front yard (ft.) <sup>c</sup>	30	30 <sup>d</sup>	30	30
Min. side, rear yard (ft.) <sup>d, e</sup>	20	30	20	20
Max. lot coverage (%)	25	25	25	25
Max. building height (ft.)	30	45	30	30

- f. If abutting an arterial street, 60 feet to be maintained with natural vegetation."

(other notes as in present By-Law)

6. Section 3130: delete the first sentence and replace it with the following two sentences:

"No off-street parking shall be maintained closer to a street line than 20 feet or 10% of lot depth, whichever is greater. In BL-2 and Industrial Districts, no off-street parking shall be located between the principal building and the street line of an arterial street unless completely screened from view from that arterial street by vegetation and topography."

7. Section 3140: delete in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"3140. Centerlines of driveways serving 20 or more parking spaces if egressing onto an arterial street shall observe separations as follows:

	BL-2 District	Other Districts
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Other such driveways

Same side of road	500 ft. min.	250 ft. min.
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Opposite side of road	0 or 250 ft.	0 or 125 ft.
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Intersecting street sideline	250 ft.	125 ft.
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No existing parcel shall be subdivided into lots with frontage which would preclude meeting these requirements unless access rights-of-way are provided across adjoining lots. Driveways subject to this section shall have 400 feet visibility in each travel direction, and shall each comprise not more than two travel lanes, each not more than 12 feet in width at the lot line."

8. Section 3510: revise to read:

"3510. Not less than 40% of lot area shall be free of structures or paving, and kept stabilized with vegetative cover, pine needles, bark or other organic material."

9. Amend Section 2310 of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting the words "bank, funeral home" from the row heading "Office, bank, funeral home" and insert a new row as follows:

R-20

R-40 BL IND MAR GU RD S

"Bank, funeral  
home

N S N N SS SD N"

and also revise the following two rows to read as follows:

R-20

R-40 BL IND MAR GU RD S

"Restaurant\*\*

N S N S SS SD N



Other retail  
business or  
service

N S N N SS SD N"

10. Revise the Zoning Map by placing in BL-1 District all areas now zoned Business Limited.  
or act in relation thereto.

Dr. Cross moved the following amendment which was duly seconded:

"That in Part 4, the phrase 'or comprising more than two enterprises on the same premises' be deleted; that a new column headed by RD be substituted in Part 5 in consequence of the vote on Article 17 as follows:

RD  
60,000  
200  
40  
30  
25  
30

and that in the footnote 'f' the word 'natural' be deleted; that in Part 7 in the next to last sentence the phrase 'in a Business Limited or Industrial District' be inserted after the word 'parcel'."

This Amendment was UNANIMOUSLY VOTED.

The original motion as amended was then voted by a hand vote. The vote was 148 YES and 15 NO. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

VOTED

1. Section 2110: revise the line "Business Limited BL" to read "Business Limited BL-1, BL-2."
2. Section 2140: redesignate the paragraph now headed "BUSINESS LIMITED: BL --" as "BUSINESS LIMITED: BL-1 --", and add the following directly below that paragraph:  
"BUSINESS LIMITED: BL-2 -- To provide for all scales of business development for local, regional, or transient service, with purposes otherwise the same as for BL-1."
3. Section 2310: Add the following row directly below the row "Restaurant", and footnotes where appropriate:

R-20

R-40 BL IND MAR RD S



Major Commercial  
Complex<sup>3</sup>

N S<sup>4</sup> N N SD N

<sup>3</sup>See Definition

<sup>4</sup>In BL-2 only

4. Article V. Add the following definition:

"Major Commercial Complex: Facilities for retail trade or service containing more than 10,000 square feet gross floor area."

5. Section 2600: delete and replace with the following:  
"2600 Intensity of Use Schedule

(See Section 4540 for Planned Development requirements)

(See Section 4640 for Multi-family dwelling requirements)

	R-20, S BL-1 <sup>a</sup> , MAR	BL-2 IND	R-40	RD
Min. lot area (sq. ft.) <sup>b</sup>	20,000	40,000	40,000	60,000
Min. lot frontage (ft.)	125	150	150	200
Min. front yard (ft.) <sup>c</sup>	30	30 <sup>c</sup>	30	40
Min. side, rear yard (ft.) <sup>d, e</sup>	20	30	20	30
Max. lot coverage (%)	25	25	25	25
Max. building height (ft.)	30	45	30	30

f. If abutting an arterial street, 60 feet to be maintained with vegetation."

(other notes as in present by-law)

6. Section 3130: delete the first sentence and replace it with the following two sentences:

"No off-street parking shall be maintained closer to a street line than 20 feet or 10% of lot depth, whichever is greater. In BL-2 and Industrial Districts, no off-street parking shall be located between the principal building and the street line of an arterial street unless completely screened from view from that arterial street by vegetation and topography."

7. Section 3140: delete in its entirety and substitute the following:

"3140. Centerlines of driveways serving 20 or more parking spaces if egressing onto an arterial street shall observe separations as follows:

	BL-2 District	Other Districts
Other such driveways		
Same side of road	500 ft. min.	250 ft. min.
Opposite side of road	0 or 250 ft.	0 or 125 ft.
Intersecting street sideline	250 ft.	125 ft.
No existing parcel in a Business Limited or Industrial		

District shall be subdivided into lots with frontage which would preclude meeting these requirements unless access rights-of-way are provided across adjoining lots. Driveways subject to this section shall have 400 feet visibility in each travel direction, and shall each comprise not more than two travel lanes, each not more than 12 feet in width at the lot line."

8. Section 3510: revise to read:

"3510. Not less than 40% of lot area shall be free of structures or paving, and kept stabilized with vegetative cover, pine needles, bark or other organic material."

9. Amend Section 2310 of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting the words "bank, funeral home" from the row heading "Office, bank, funeral home" and insert a new row as follows:

R-20

R-40 BL IND MAR GU RD S

"Bank, funeral  
home

N S N N SS SD N"

and also revise the following two rows to read as follows:

R-20

R-40 BL IND MAR GU RD S

"Restaurant\*\*

N S N S SS SD N

Other retail

business or

service

N S N N SS SD N"

10. Revise the Zoning Map by placing in BL-1 District all areas now zoned Business Limited.

**ARTICLE 19.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law as follows:

1. Revise the zoning map by placing in the BL-2 District an area now zoned GU and bounded by Cotuit Road, Route 130, parcel E1 on Assessor's Sheets 59 and 60 (Commonwealth of Massachusetts), and by Quaker Meeting House Road.
2. Revise the zoning map by placing in the Industrial District an area now zoned GU and Ridge, bounded by Route 130, a line parallel to and 500 feet northeasterly of Kiah's Way, the easterly boundary of Parcel R2 on Assessor's Maps 53 and 59, a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly of the easterly boundary of parcel R1 on Assessor's Map 59, and by a line parallel

to and 100 feet northerly of the southerly boundary of parcel R1 on Assessors's Map 59.

3. Revise the zoning map by placing in the R-40 District all remaining areas now zoned "General Use", and deleting "General Use" from the legend.
4. Delete all references in the text of the Zoning By-Law to "General Use":

Section 2110: delete line "General Use GU"

Section 2140: delete paragraph headed "General Use: GU"

Section 2210: delete paragraph "SS—Use authorized . . . religious use"

Sections 2310 and 2320: delete column labelled "GU"

Section 2600: delete column heading "GU"

Section 3420: rephrase ". . . Ridge or General Use District" to read ". . . or Ridge District"

Section 4430: rephrase ". . . R-40, or General Use District" to read ". . . or R-40 District"

Section 4640: delete words "General Use"

or act in relation thereto.

**VOTED:** The Original Motion was voted by a hand vote. The vote was 126 YES and 55 NO. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

**ARTICLE 20.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law as follows:

1. Amend Section 2110 by adding the following line, directly below "Industrial Limited.":

"Government District                      GD"

2. Amend Section 2140 by inserting the following at the end thereof:

"GOVERNMENT DISTRICT: GD—To provide for necessary governmental functions, public recreation, and conservation on publicly owned lands."

3. Amend Section 2310 by adding a new column at the extreme right, headed "GD," and with all entries "N" with the following exceptions:

"School

Public, sectarian, denominational .....Y

Religious Use .....Y

Municipal Use not more

specifically cited .....Y"

4. Amend Section 2600 by adding "GD" to the column heading "R-40, RD."



5. Amend the last phrase of Section 3420 by adding the word "Government," so that it reads "... or more than 200 feet beyond the boundary of the lot if originating in a Business Limited, Marine Limited, Ridge, General Use, or Government District."
6. Amend the Sandwich Zoning Map by deleting from the General Use District and placing in the Government District all land lying within the U.S. Military Reservation.

or act in relation thereto.

VOTED: This Article was voted by a hand vote. The vote was 190 YES and 2 NO. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

**ARTICLE 21.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law revising the Zoning Map, placing in Residence-20 all land which is now zoned Business-Limited along Route 6A easterly of the easterly lot line of Parcel D3 on Assessor's Map 8 (approximately opposite Old Main Street) and westerly of Chipman Road, comprising a district generally 600 feet deep north of Route 6A, and another district generally 300 feet deep south of Route 6A, or act in relation thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by revising the Zoning Map, placing in Residence-20 all land which is now zoned Business-Limited along Route 6A easterly of the easterly lot line of Parcel D3 on Assessor's Map 8 approximately opposite Old Main Street) and westerly of Chipman Road, comprising a district generally 600 feet deep north of Route 6A, and another district generally 300 feet deep south of Route 6A.

**ARTICLE 22.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by revising the Zoning Map, changing to R-40 the area now zoned R-20 and generally described as follows:

Bounded on the north by the Shore District at the end of Ploughed Neck Road, on the east by the existing R-40 District east of Scorton Creek, on the south by the Mid-Cape Highway, and on the west by the existing R-40 District at and south of Spring Hill, and by a line connecting Cow House River to Ellis Road.

or act in relation thereto.

VOTED: The Article was voted as printed in the Warrant and the vote was by a counted hand vote. The vote was 134 YES and 2 NO. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.



**ARTICLE 23.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting Section 3530, substituting the following:

“3530. Erosion Control. Site design, building design, and construction process shall be such as to protect soil from erosion or excessive uncontrolled surface water runoff. No grading or construction shall take place on slopes in excess of 25% except under Special Permit from the Board of Appeals, which shall be granted only upon demonstration that adequate provisions have been made to protect against erosion, soil instability, uncontrolled surface water runoff, or other environmental degradation. Any bank exceeding 15% slope shall either be retained with a masonry or concrete retaining wall, or covered with loam to a 4” depth, and planted with vegetative cover sufficient to control erosion.”

and by deleting Section 1220, substituting the following:

“1220. Plot plans required under Section 5 of the Town of Sandwich Building Code shall indicate grade at four corners of the lot, at the street centerline, at the center of lot frontage, at the building location, and at sill height. Plot plans shall also show sufficient information to demonstrate compliance with parking, standing, and loading, landscaping and screening, or other applicable provisions of this By-Law. A performance bond of not less than \$4.00 per foot of frontage against possible costs due to erosion or damage within street rights-of-way shall be required prior to authorization of any new structure, and a bond may be required for other construction, such bond to be held by the Town Treasurer until an occupancy permit is granted. Prior to proceeding with construction above the foundation, a registered Land Surveyor shall certify that the structure has been located in compliance with all yard requirements.”

or act in relation thereto.

**VOTED:** This Article was voted by a voice vote, as printed in the Warrant, and declared carried by the Moderator, with two dissenting votes.

**ARTICLE 24.** To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 4110 “Home Occupations” of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting it and substituting the following:

“4110. Home Occupations

Home Occupations shall be allowed only in compliance with the following:

- a) No more than 30% of the floor area of the residence is to be used for the occupation.
  - b) Not more than one person not a member of the household is to be employed on the premises in the occupation.
  - c) There shall be no retailing of articles not produced on the premises.
  - d) Except for a permitted sign, there shall be no exterior evidence of the occupation, such as exterior display, storage, audible sound, or alteration of residential building character.
  - e) All parking required to service the occupation shall be provided off-street.
  - f) There shall be no outside parking of commercial (1 ton or more) vehicles.
  - g) A certificate of Zoning Compliance shall be qualified for and obtained."
- or act in relation thereto.

An Amendment to delete Section f) of the Article was made. This was seconded.

This Amendment was then voted by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

The Article, as amended, was then voted by hand vote—98 YES and 74 NO. The article not having a two-thirds vote was declared Not Carried by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 25.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law as follows:

1. By adding to Section 1230, so that it reads as follows (underlining only to indicate added language, not for adoption):  
 "1230. The use of premises or any part thereof shall not be changed from one use listed in 2300 to another without first obtaining a Certificate of Zoning Compliance from the Building Inspector, which shall be issued only if the proposed use complies with all provisions of this By-Law, **and only if a Special Permit has been granted by the Board of Appeals if the new use requires one.**"
2. By adding a second paragraph to Section 1320, to read as follows:  
 "The Board of Appeals shall have the power to authorize upon appeal, or upon petition in cases where a particular use is sought for which no permit is re-

quired, with respect to a particular parcel of land or to an existing building thereon, a variance from the terms of the Zoning By-Law where, owing to conditions especially affecting such parcel or such building but not affecting generally the zoning district in which it is located, a literal enforcement of the provisions of the By-Law would involve substantial hardship, financial or otherwise to the appellant, and where desirable relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without nullifying or substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of such By-Law, but not otherwise."

3. By inserting a new Section 1360, to read as follows:  
 "1360. All applications or petitions to the Board of Appeals, if involving erection or change in exterior dimension of any structure or parking area, shall be accompanied by a plot plan as specified in Section 1220 for building permit applications. Such plans shall also be submitted in other cases when deemed necessary by the Board for its determinations.  
 All applicants or petitioners shall appear at or be represented by a spokesman at the Public Hearing upon their application or petition, or the Board may dismiss the application for lack of sufficient information."
4. By adding the following sentence at the end of the first paragraph of Section 1330:  
 "The Board of Appeals shall place upon each Special Permit the condition that it shall expire upon transfer of ownership prior to initiation of substantial construction on or occupancy of the site, unless such transfer is authorized in the permit, or if no substantial construction or occupancy takes place within the 12 months of Special Permit approval; extenuating circumstances may be a basis for a 6-month extension to be granted by the Board of Appeals."
5. By revising the first phrase of Section 1340, deleting the word "required" and substituting the words "existing and/or proposed," so that the phrase reads:  
 "1340. Applicants for Special Permits for any use which involves existing and/or proposed parking for 10 or more cars . . ." (remainder unchanged) or act in relation thereto.

VOTED: This Article was voted as printed in the Warrant by a hand vote. The vote was 92 YES and 8 NO. The



Moderator declared the Article carried. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

**ARTICLE 26.** To see if the Town will vote to delete Section 4340 (dealing with dredging or construction in wetlands) in its entirety, or act in relation thereto.

**VOTED:** This Article was Unanimously Defeated by voice vote.

**ARTICLE 27.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting Sections 3110 and 3120, and replacing them with the following:

"3110. Adequate off-street parking shall be provided on all-weather surfaces within a reasonable distance to service all parking demand created by new construction, whether through new structures or additions to old ones, and by change of use of existing structures. Such parking shall be either on the same premises as the activity it services, or within 300 feet on a separate parcel, which may be jointly used with other premises for this purpose. The following minimums must be met unless a special exemption is granted by the Board of Appeals upon their determination that special circumstances render a lesser provision adequate for all parking needs. For uses allowed on Special Permit under Section 2300, the Board of Appeals may require that these minimums be exceeded to meet anticipated demand."

"3120. Table of requirements

Dwellings: two spaces per dwelling unit

Motel, motor court, lodging house: 1-1/8 spaces per guest unit

Offices: one space per 150 s.f. leasable floor area, plus one space per employee

Stores: one space per 150 s.f. leasable floor area, plus one space per employee

Restaurant, place of assembly: one space per three seats

Bowling Alley: four spaces per lane

Nursing Home: one space per four beds

Hospital: one space per bed

Industrial, wholesale: one space per 1½ employees per shift

Others individually determined."

or act in relation thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** The Article was voted by a voice vote and declared Unanimous by the Moderator.



**ARTICLE 28.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law and the Sandwich Building Code as follows:

Step 1) Amend Section 1230 of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting it in its entirety, substituting therefor the following:

"1230. No land or buildings shall be initially occupied or changed from one use category of Section 2300 to another without an Occupancy Permit as required under Section 5 of the Town of Sandwich Building Code having been issued by the Building Inspector. No occupancy permit shall be issued in violation of any provision of this By-Law."

Step 2) Amend Section 5 Permits of the Sandwich Building Code by adding the following paragraphs at the end of the section.

"An occupancy permit shall be required before occupancy of any new or changed use of a building or land shall begin, with the exceptions listed above. Such permit shall be issued only after completion of work required under all applicable building permits. Application blanks shall be supplied by the Town and all applications for permits shall be kept on file by the Building Inspector.

Exception: An Occupancy Permit may be issued as soon as all provisions of the State Sanitary Code, Articles II and XI, are met for occupancy of a dwelling if it is to be occupied by the dwelling's constructor."

Step 3) Amend Section 6 Fees by inserting the word "building" into the first phrase so that it reads "For each building permit issued . . .," and by adding a new paragraph at the end of the section to read as follows:

"No additional fee shall be charged for occupancy permits applied for on premises where a building permit is in force. In all other cases the fee for an Occupancy Permit shall be \$5.00."

or do anything relative thereto.

The following amendment was proposed and duly seconded:

That under Step 2) Exception: An occupancy permit may be issued as soon as all provisions of the Regulations for the Sanitary Disposal of Sewage for the Town of Sandwich are met for occupancy of a dwelling if it is to be occupied by the dwelling's constructor.

This amendment was accepted by the moving party and the amendment was voted on by voice vote. The Moderator

declared the amendment carried with one dissenting vote.

The original motion, as amended, was then voted on by hand vote and the count was 96 YES and 1 NO. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

VOTED: Step 1) Amend Section 1230 of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting it in its entirety, substituting the following therefor:

"1230. No land or buildings shall be initially occupied or changed from one use category of Section 2300 to another without an Occupancy Permit as required under Section 5 of the Town of Sandwich Building Code having been issued by the Building Inspector. No Occupancy Permit shall be issued in violation of any provision of this By-Law."

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Exception: An Occupancy Permit may be issued as soon as all provisions of the Regulations for the Sanitary Disposal of sewage for the Town of Sandwich are met for occupancy of a dwelling if it is to be occupied by the dwelling's constructor."

Step 3) Amend Section 6 Fees by inserting the word "building" into the first phrase so that it reads "For each building permit issued . . .," and by adding a new paragraph at the end of the section to read as follows: ,

"No additional fee shall be charged for occupancy permits applied for on premises where a building permit is in force. In all other cases the fee for an Occupancy Permit shall be \$5.00."

**ARTICLE 29.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning B-Law as follows:

1. Amend Section 2560 so that it reads as follows:

"2560. Residential condominiums shall comply with regulations for multi-family dwellings (Sec. 4640)." or act in relation thereto.

VOTED: The Article was voted by voice vote and declared Unanimously Carried.

**ARTICLE 30.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the title of Section 4120 to read "Mobile Homes, Campers and Trailers," and add Section 4125 to read as follows:

"No mobile homes, campers, utility trailers, or similar vehicles being offered for sale or rental as a commercial enterprise shall be stored outdoors within view of a public way. None of the above vehicles nor truck trailers nor similar vehicles shall be occupied for commercial or industrial use, except as a temporary construction office, and no wheel-mounted sign shall be used, except within limits prescribed for permanent signs."  
or do anything relative thereto.

The following amendment was moved and seconded: To insert after the words "construction office" the following phrase—"or temporary construction storage." This amendment was voted unanimously by voice vote.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** Amend the title of Section 4120 to read "Mobile Homes, Campers and Trailers," and add Section 4125, to read as follows:

"No mobile homes, campers, utility trailers, or similar vehicles being offered for sale or rental as a commercial enterprise shall be stored outdoors within view of a public way. None of the above vehicles nor truck trailers nor similar vehicles shall be occupied for commercial or industrial use, except as a temporary construction office or temporary construction storage, and no wheel-mounted sign shall be used, except within limits prescribed for permanent signs."

**ARTICLE 31.** To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 2310 of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting the words "or two-family" from the row now labeled "Single or two-family" and by inserting the following row directly below that row:

R-20

R-40 BL IND MAR GU RD S

"Two family N N N N N N N"

or do anything in relation thereto.

Mr. Coe proposed the following amendment which was duly seconded:

"by removing the N under Heading R-20, R-40 and replacing this with an S."

This amendment was voted by voice vote and declared Unanimously carried by the Moderator.



**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** To amend Section 2310 of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting the words "or two-family" from the row now labeled "Single or two-family" and by inserting the following row directly below that row.

	R-20							
	R-40	BL	IND	MAR	GU	RD	S	
"Two-family	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N"

**ARTICLE 32.** To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 2310 of the Sandwich Zoning By-Law as follows:

1. Delete "Research Lab" from the row now headed "Research Lab, Contractor's Yard."
2. Create a new row directly below the "Contractor's Yard" row to read as follows:

	R-20							
	R-40	BL	IND	MAR	GU	RD	S	
Research Lab	N	S	S	S	SS	SD	N	

or act in relation thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** The motion was voted as presented, by voice vote, and declared Unanimously carried by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 33.** To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 3400, Noise, Litter and Smoke Requirements, as follows:

1. Delete the word "non-residential" from Section 3410, so that it reads:  
"3410. No activity shall be permitted in any district unless it can be demonstrated that its operation will be so conducted that the following requirements will be met:"

2. Delete Section 3420 in its entirety and substitute a new Section 3420.

"3420. No noise, sound from public address or other amplification system, vibration, odor or flashing shall be perceptible without instruments more than 400 feet beyond the boundary of a lot if originating in the Industrial Limited District or more than 200 feet beyond the boundary if originating in any other district, except for the following:

3421. Disturbances produced by maintenance or repair of buildings and grounds.

3422. Farm equipment

3423. Construction equipment between hours of 7 A.M. and 7 P.M. only.



3424. Warning devices

3425. Unamplified human voices."

or act in relation thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** The motion was voted as presented, by voice vote, and declared Unanimously carried by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 34. Cluster Development.** This Article was moved and seconded as printed in the Warrant.

Dr. Cross proposed the following amendment, which was duly seconded:

That Section 4433 in the last sentence be amended to start with:

"It is recommended that . . ."

This amendment was voted by voice vote and declared Unanimously carried by the Moderator.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** 4400. Cluster Development

#### **4410. Objectives**

The objective of Cluster Development is to allow relatively intensive use of land, while at the same time maintaining existing character; to preserve open space for conservation and recreation; to introduce variety and choice into residential development; to meet housing needs; to facilitate economical and efficient provision of public services; and to guide development consistent with the town's Master Plan.

#### **4420. Applicability**

The Board of Appeals may grant a special permit for the construction and occupancy of a Cluster Development in any district permitting residences, subject to the following regulations and conditions.

#### **4430. Procedures**

**4431. Pre-application Review** To promote better communication and avoid misunderstanding, applicants are encouraged to submit preliminary materials for informal review by both the Board of Appeals and the Planning Board prior to formal application. Preliminary subdivision plans, if any, should be submitted to the Planning Board prior to application for a special permit.

**4432. Application.** Applicants for a special permit for a Cluster Development shall submit to the Board of Appeals five copies of an application and of an overall development plan, and two copies of a site analysis. Such

plan shall encompass at least 8 acres of land which is contiguous, though not necessarily in one ownership. If the plan involves more than one ownership, each owner of land included in the plan shall be a party to the application, and, upon plan approval, subject to its provisions.

**4433. Overall Development Plan.** The Overall Development Plan shall indicate location and boundaries of the site, proposed land and building uses, location of common open space, existing topography, grading plan, location and width of streets and ways, parking, areas of proposed and retained vegetation, distinctions between upland and wetland, drainage, sewerage, and height, bulk, use, and location of proposed structures. It is recommended that the plan shall have been prepared by a team to include a registered civil engineer and a land surveyor.

**4434. Site Analysis.** The Site Analysis shall consist of a transparent copy of the Overall Development Plan, plus a series of site analysis drawings at the same scale, each on a separate sheet, indicating analysis of hydrologic systems, vegetative cover, slope and land form, soils and geology, and such other characteristics as the applicant deems advisable. One copy of the Site Analysis shall be retained by the Board of Appeals, and one copy shall be forwarded by them with the application to the Planning Board.

**4435. Other Materials.** The application materials shall indicate each landowner's interest in the land to be developed, the form of organization proposed to own and maintain the common open space, the substance of covenants and grants of easements to be imposed upon the use of land and structures, and a development schedule.

**4436. Review and Decision.** Forthwith upon their receipt of the application and required plans, the Board of Appeals shall transmit two copies to the Planning Board and one copy each to the Board of Health and Conservation Commission. The Planning Board, Board of Health, and Conservation Commission shall submit reports to the Board of Appeals within 45 days of the application date, and the Board of Appeals shall neither close their hearing nor make any decision upon the application until receipt of all such reports, or until 45 days have elapsed since date of application without such reports.

**4437. Criteria.** Approval of a Cluster Development shall be granted upon Board of Appeals determination that the plan complies with the requirements of Section 4440, and that the plan is superior to a conventional one in preserving open space for conservation or recreation; in utilizing natural features of the land; in allowing more efficient provision of streets, utilities, and other public services; and at least equal to a conventional plan in other respects.

**4440. Requirements**

A Cluster Development must conform to the following:

**4441. Number of Dwelling Units**

a) The maximum number of dwelling units allowed in a Cluster Development shall equal the "Applicable Land Area" divided by the lot area requirements for a single-family dwelling in that district.

b) "Applicable Land Area" shall be determined by a registered land surveyor, and equals the total area encompassed by the Overall Development Plan minus land subject to either inland or coastal wetland regulations (Sec. 40, Ch. 131, G.L.); minus land otherwise prohibited from development by local bylaw or regulation; and minus land designated on the plan for uses not primarily servicing residents of the development.

c) Where the Cluster Development includes more than one ownership, and/or lies in more than one district, the number of units allowed shall be calculated as above for each district and summed to give an overall allowable total, which may be located on the plan without respect to allowable subtotals by district or ownership areas.

**4442. Allowable Uses.** Uses allowed at any location shall be only those allowed in the district in which the location lies.

**4443. Dimensional Regulations.** Lot size, lot width, setback, coverage, yard and height regulations shall be the following, in lieu of the requirements of Section 2600:

Minimum lots size	15,000 sq. ft.
Minimum lot frontage	100 feet*
Minimum front yard	30 feet
Minimum side and rear yard	12 feet**
Maximum lot coverage	25%
Maximum height	30 feet

\*But not less than 150 feet if on an arterial street.

\*\*Except not less than the requirements of Section 2600 for yards in the Development abutting other property.



**4444. Improvements.** Access, drainage, utilities, and grading shall meet functional standards equivalent to those established in the Planning Board's adopted Subdivision Regulations. Prior to issuance of building permits within a Cluster Development, the Planning Board shall certify to the Building Inspector that a detailed site plan has been submitted to them and meets those standards, and before occupancy permits for any structure are issued, the Planning Board shall certify to the Building Inspector that improvements to serve such structure, or security for their completion, have been received.

**4445. Open Space.** All land not designated for roads, dwellings, or other development within the Cluster Development shall be held for common use of the residents of the development. Common open space shall be preserved for recreation or conservation, and shall comprise not less than 30% of the "Applicable Land Area" within the Development Plan. Ownership of common open space areas shall be arranged and maintenance permanently assured through an incorporated home owner's association, condominium deeds, or other recorded land agreement through which each lot owner in the development is automatically a member and each lot is subject to a charge for a share of the maintenance expenses, or through comparable arrangement satisfactory to the Board of Appeals. Preservation shall be guaranteed through dedication, by covenant or comparable legal instrument, to the community use and enjoyment of residents of the development tract, for recreation purposes serving those residents and their non-paying guests only, or for conservation. In addition, the town shall be granted an easement over such land sufficient to ensure its perpetual maintenance as conservation or recreation land. Building coverage shall not exceed 5% in such conservation or recreation areas.

**4446. Long-term Compliance.** Subsequent to approval of such Cluster Development, no land therein shall be sold and no lot line or structure altered from that shown on the Overall Development Plan so as to increase the extent of nonconformity with the standard dimensional regulations of this Bylaw (See Section 2600). Prior to sale of any lot within a Cluster Development, or issuance of a building permit for construction therein, such lots shall be shown on a plan recorded in the Registry of Deeds or registered with the Land Court, which plan shall make reference to the recorded land agreements referred to in



Section 4445. Unless the Board of Appeals has specifically approved staged development, such plan shall show all lots to be included in the Development.

**4447. Relationship to Subdivision Plan.** Board of Appeals approval of a Special Permit shall not be construed as obliging the Planning Board to approve any related definitive plan or substituting for such approval. Normally a preliminary plan for subdivision of land should be prepared concurrently with preparation of the Overall Development Plan, consistent with the Subdivision Regulations of the Sandwich Planning Board, and submitted to the Planning Board prior to application for a Special Permit. Following approval of a Special Permit, a Definitive Plan shall be submitted to the Planning Board consistent with their Subdivision Regulations, and in substantial conformity to the approved Overall Development Plan, except where the Open Space Village does not constitute a subdivision as defined under the Subdivision Control Law.

#### **4500. Planned Development**

4510. The Board of Appeals may grant a special permit for the construction and occupancy of a Planned Development in a Ridge District, subject to the following regulations and conditions.

4520. All provisions of Section 4400, Cluster Development, shall apply and be complied with.

4530. The following additional requirements shall apply:

4531. The nearest point of the Overall Development Plan shall lie within 5000 feet via arterial streets from a point of egress from a limited-access highway. The plan shall include at least 200 feet frontage on an arterial street.

4532. The Overall Development Plan shall include at least 25 acres.

4533. The total land area devoted to hotels, motels, inns, and non-residential uses shall equal at least  $1\frac{1}{2}$  times the aggregate floor area of such uses, and lot coverage shall not exceed 25%.

4534. No building shall be floodlit, and parking areas shall be illuminated only by shielded lights not higher than twenty feet.

4535. No parking shall be within 25 feet of a street line or the boundary of a Planned Development. No build-

ing shall be closer to any other than 15 feet or the height of the building, whichever is the greater.

4540. The Board of Appeals shall grant a Special Permit for a Planned Development only if such development is consistent with the purposes of the Ridge District, as stated in Section 2140.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 11:45 P.M.

Channing E. Hoxie

Attest:

Town Clerk

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## Report of the Special Town Meeting

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NOVEMBER 5, 1973

A Special Town Meeting of the Town of Sandwich was held at the Henry T. Wing School, November 5, 1973, with the Moderator, William A. Bullock, calling the meeting to order at 7:45 P.M. Since 1252 registered voters attended the meeting, the elementary activities room as well as the gymnasium was used, with Mr. Willard Boyden as Moderator for that room.

A motion was made and seconded to dispense with the greater part of the reading of the Warrant and this was so voted.

**ARTICLE 1.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a new junior-senior high school and an addition to the Henry T. Wing School and for the further purpose of reconstructing, remodeling, rehabilitating and modernizing the existing Henry T. Wing School and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise, or take any other action relative to the foregoing matters.

The following motion was made by the Finance Committee.

**ARTICLE 1.** —We move that the sum of \$11,825,000.00 be hereby appropriated for the purpose of constructing, orig-

inally equipping and furnishing a new junior-senior high school and an addition to the Henry T. Wing School and for the further purpose of reconstructing, remodeling, rehabilitating and modernizing the existing Henry T. Wing School and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$11,825,000.00 at one time or from time to time under and pursuant to Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended and supplemented, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor.

This motion was seconded.

Mr. Stanley Torrey presented the Report of the School Building Committee:

At the March 1969 Town Meeting, it was voted to establish a School Building Committee. Appointed by the Moderator was a five member committee, two of whom were to be members of the School Committee.

On January 17, 1972, at a Special Town Meeting it was voted to purchase 67.7 acres of land off Quaker Meeting House Road for school purposes at a cost of \$183,000.00

At the Town Meeting held on March 6, 1972, \$270,000.00 was appropriated for architectural services for plans and specifications for a new junior-senior high school and for services in connection with remodeling, renovating and additions to the Henry T. Wing School. Final approval of educational specifications was approved by the School Building Assistance Bureau in the Spring of 1973.

In April, 1973, a change of architects was made and the architectural firm of Drummey Rosane and Anderson was retained and instructed to plan a building that was economical, efficient and flexible to provide for the present and future educational needs of the Town. They were authorized to commence working drawings in June and the project went out to bid on September 6, 1973.

Bids were received on October 25th. The complete turn-key cost for the High School is \$9,599,291.00 and for the Elementary School \$2,455,947.00 for a grand total of \$12,055,238.00.

The members of the School Building Committee are recommending the development of 40+ acres of Quaker Meeting House Road, the school to be a three-story building to house 1,000 pupils, Grades 7 - 12. The exterior of the building will



be steel frame, brick and cedar siding. It will contain 52 classrooms, cafeteria, gymnasium and pool, athletic fields and an auditorium for 950 with parking facilities for 800.

The Building Committee is also recommending additions to the present Henry T. Wing School to include 20 classrooms and a library and renovations necessary to have modern facilities to accommodate 900 pupils. These facilities are designed so that they may be used by the community without interfering with the educational program.

The School Building Committee has worked closely with the School Committee, Administration, Staff, School Building Assistance Bureau and the community in the development of the plans. Approval of all those concerned has been received before proceeding to the next phase of the project.

I wish to thank all of those involved, especially our Superintendent, Dr. D'Antuono, for their time and effort on behalf of this project.

VOTED: That the sum of \$11,825,000.00 be hereby appropriated for the purpose of constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a new junior-senior high school and an addition to the Henry T. Wing School and for the further purpose of reconstructing, remodeling, rehabilitating and modernizing the existing Henry T. Wing School and to meet such appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$11,825,000.00 at one time or from time to time under and pursuant to Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended and supplemented, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor.

This vote was a standing vote; 1049 in favor, 172 against. This met the 2/3 requirement and was declared carried by the Moderator.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 P. M.

ATTEST:

Channing E. Hoxie, Town Clerk



## Report of the Marina Committee

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen Sandwich, Mass.

In its Report for 1973 the Sandwich Marina Committee is pleased to note the progress made in the overall operation of the Sandwich Marina.

Almost all the members have visited the Marina on a day to day basis and have been able to observe the daily operation of this facility. They have met frequently on an informal basis and discussed the Marina's operations among themselves and with Mr. Moffitt, its manager. Their suggestions have been listened to and implemented where possible. The members of the Committee have been very pleased to hear the many complimentary remarks of visiting boatmen. There is no doubt that the reputation of the Marina is growing in the minds of the boating fraternity. This means that the Town in general is benefiting from the increased use of the Marina by these people.

During 1973 many improvements were instituted for the benefit of boaters, the most important of which was the building of the new Float alongside the launching ramp. It has proved most helpful to all, no matter the size of the boat. New slips have made it possible to accommodate a few more craft. Connections made by Mr. Moffitt with various types of Marine craftsmen have been of great help in getting various types of work done, especially in emergencies. The close liason between Mr. Moffitt and the Coast Guard has been duly noted. This is helpful for all boatmen.

At the one formal meeting held with the Selectmen and Mr. Moffitt the Committee was pleased to note the great increase in revenue to the Town in 1973, about one third over any previous high. This necessarily means more people spent more money in the Town itself.

Plans for the future were discussed. Increased rates, still below those of surrounding Marinas, were approved. This will mean further improvements and facilities. Despite the energy crisis we expect the Boating Season of 1974 to be the best yet.

Our thanks to all for the cooperation we have received in our Advisory capacity for the Town and the Marina.

Respectfully submitted,

(REV.) WILLIAM F. MORRIS, Chairman

HOWARD J. CARLSON

JOHN H. FIELD

B. HARLOW MORROW

CHARLES C. RUSSELL

# Report of the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational - Technical School District

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To the Citizens of the Town

In compliance with Section 13 of the Agreement between the towns of the district, this annual report is submitted.

The membership of the Committee follows:

Town of Bourne—Frederick W. McComiskey  
Peter N. Way

Town of Falmouth—James M. Crossen  
M. Gregg Hibbs

Town of Marion—Warren L. Washburn, Vice Chairman

Town of Sandwich—Edgar E. Caron, Chairman

Town of Wareham—Robert A. Braman  
William E. C. Warr, III

Committee Counsel—John F. McCoy

Treasurer—John S. Jillson

Assistant Treasurer—Martha B. Overlock

Secretary—Arthur L. Sweetman

Superintendent-Director—Arthur L. Sweetman

On September fifth we commenced our fifth year of operation with an enrollment of 548 of which 5 are tuition students from previous years. Our regular day school now starts at 7:45 a.m. and ends at 2:20 p.m. Again this year we are operating our school until 5 p.m. in order to offer occupational education to as many students in our five-town district as possible. Our afternoon program is designed to give a wide variety of experiences in as many fields as possible. Because of the time limitations, students that attend from 2:20 to 5 p.m. will not receive the amount of training as do our full-time day students, but the guidance directors of the five towns and the Upper Cape Regional feel it is a program which offers many opportunities for actual "hands-on" experience. It is a good program, but because of the length of the day, fatigue on the part of both the instructor and the students does pose somewhat of a problem. In an effort to help with this problem, some students in the five towns are given released time but in the majority of cases the student



is in school from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monthly in-service programs in the five towns are the cause of high absenteeism on those particular days because the students are returned directly to their homes from the sending schools.

The Cooperative Program is now in its third year, and it is proving to be very effective in both alleviating the crowding in the shops and in providing the students with actual on-the-job experience and an opportunity to earn money while attending school.

Our proposals for funding of a new Distributive Education program and a Masonry program were approved, and both are in operation. In order to house these two new programs, the students in drafting, carpentry, electrical, plumbing, metals, and painting and decorating programs all participated in the construction of the two areas. At the present time we are preparing to teach automobile radiator repair in conjunction with our auto body program.

At this time we have reached our saturation point as far as numbers of students and programs are concerned. Because of the current trend in local population growth, the School Committee and the Administration are investigating methods of serving more students of the district.

This year, as in past years, the students have contributed many thousands of dollars' worth of labor in a variety of projects on town-owned property and for non-profit organizations in our five towns. We are depending more and more on municipal and non-profit organizations for our outside job training. The students benefit from this work not only in the experience of doing the job but by the donations the various organizations provide toward our scholarship fund.

Because of the need for more classroom space, a classroom which had been made into offices for the guidance department by the student body has been reconverted to a classroom. The guidance operations have moved to the business office area and a new area in front of the school was constructed for the district business office. The soccer field which was relocated in an effort to provide more space for our intramural and our interscholastic sports was completed and used for the first time for the opening day of school in September.

The Reginal School District, in the way of financial assistance in 1973, received \$331,701.00 which represents



our 50 percent reimbursement of net operating expense, and \$90,335.00 for the transportation reimbursement. Under PL 92-318, the District received \$21,678.00, the remaining monies for the grants for distributive education and masonry. Also received was \$549.37 for a library grant and \$22,151.00 under PL 81-874 for Federally connected pupils.

In addition to this money, the towns of Bourne, Falmouth, Sandwich, and Wareham were entitled to receive an additional fifteen percent of their Chapter 70 entitlement.

Bourne's fifteen percent amounted to	\$145,210.17
Falmouth's fifteen percent amounted to	84,978.95
Sandwich's fifteen percent amounted to	15,665.42
Wareham's fifteen percent amounted to	43,816.50

It is important to note that these funds are sent directly to the communities, not to the regional school district, as an additional fifteen percent state aid given only to communities who are part of a regional school district. However, there is no requirement that the funds be used for the school budget.

At this point in the 18-month budget, we are operating within overall budget levels. It is hoped that it will be possible to cut down in some budget items in order to take care of the anticipated shortages in such items as heat, power, and transportation.

I would like once again to thank my fellow school committee and advisory board members as well as all personnel who are employed by the school district for their excellent work and their willingness to do what must be done in order to have up-to-date, on-going programs. For a regional district to be successful, all of the feeder schools must work together for the good of the students. We have been most grateful for the cooperation and help given to us by the schools in our regional district. The elected officials and their staffs within our five towns have always been willing to help in any way they can. With this type of community involvement the school committee and the administration can keep well informed as to the direction occupational education must take in order to keep pace with the continually changing technologies and employment opportunities.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR E. CARON, Chairman



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# School Organization

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
David P. Persson	1976
William R. Hendy	1976
Roberta F. Leydon	1975
Stanley A. Torrey	1975
Roland F. DeConto, Chairman	1974
Frank E. Colombo, Secretary	1974
(Resigned Dec. 1973)	

## SUPERINTENDENT

Anthony D'Antuono, 190 Waterside Drive, No. Falmouth  
Office: Sea Lake Corporation Building  
Telephone: 888-1054

## PRINCIPALS

Sandwich High School  
James H. Sibson, Box 356, Sandwich  
Assistant: John J. Chisholm, Slough Rd., Brewster  
School Telephone: 888-0220  
Sandwich Elementary School  
James G. Dolan, 214 Main St., Yarmouth Port  
Assistant: Edmund D. Twomey, 6 Scholl Ave., W. Yarmouth  
School Telephone: 888-1343

## GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

R. Theodore Steinhilber, Box 86, W. Barnstable  
School Telephone: 888-3666

## CLERKS

Dagny M. Miller — Superintendent's Office  
Jessie L. Hunt — Superintendent's Office  
(Resigned Dec. 1973)  
Joanne M. Fettig — Superintendent's Office  
Doris M. McNamara — Superintendent's Office  
Janet M. Trenholm — Guidance Office  
Lorraine R. Tomasek — High School Office  
Sharon J. Rideout — High School Office  
Ruth M. Tyback — Elementary School Office

## SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

John H. Lewis, M.D. 888-0770



## SCHOOL NURSE

Janet E. Davis, R.N.	888-1378
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## CUSTODIANS

Roy F. Drew	888-2280
Norman E. Weekes	888-1210
Gerald O. Downing	
John R. Powers	759-3229
Austin F. Finn	888-2950
Leonard J. DeCota	888-2906
Elmer F. Brackett	362-6892
George W. Hallahan	295-1829
Herbert R. Dickson	362-3944
Raymond Garon	888-3169

## School Calendar

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1974

Winter Term:

January 2 through February 15

Winter Recess:

February 18 through February 22

Early Spring Term:

February 25 through April 11

Spring Recess:

April 15 through April 19

Last Spring Term:

April 22 through June 25

Fall Term:

September 5 through December 20

Thanksgiving Recess:

November 28 and 29

Christmas Recess:

December 23 through December 31

No School:

Good Friday, April 12

Memorial Day, May 27

Columbus Day, October 14

Veterans' Day, October 28

Barnstable County Convention Day

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
James H. Sibson	Principal	Bowdoin Col., A.B., Worcester State Col., M.Ed.	1963
John J. Chisholm	Asst. Principal	Boston Col., A.B., Boston State, M.Ed.	1973
R. Theodore Steinhilber	Guidance	Suffolk University, B.S., M.Ed.	1971
Otto Schleicher	A/V Director	Boston University, B.B.A.	1964
James J. Campbell	Chairman, Science Dept.	Mass. Col. of Pharmacy, B.S., Colby Col., M.A.	1973
William L. Doyle	Chairman, Social Studies	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1962
John Halvorson	Chairman, Art Dept.	Boston University, B.A.	1970
Thomas E. Jalliet	Chairman, Math Dept.	Fitchburg State, B.S.Ed., Boston Col., M.A.	1973
Maryclaire Mulcahy	Chairman, Foreign Lan.	Bridgewater State Col., B.S., Boston Univ., M.Ed.	1966
James F. Murphy	Chairman, English Dept.	Boston Col., B.S., Framingham State, M.Ed., Northeastern Univ., M.A.	1973
Eugene A. Ash, Jr.	Business Education	Salem State Col., B.S.	1968
Roger Bergen	Industrial Arts	Boston Univ., B.A., R.I. School of Design, M.A.	1973
Joan W. Coggeshall	Music	B.U. Jr. Col., A.A.N.E. Cons. of Music, B.M.	1972
Marceline Colton	French	University of Grenoble, France	1971
Grace Day	School Psychologist	Montclair College, B.A. & M.A.	1973
Alice W. Douglas	Librarian	Rutgers Univ., A.B., Case-Western Reserve Univ., M.S.L.	1973
Thomas Eagar	Latin	St. Columban's Col., B.A., Boston State Col., M.A.	1970
Harry D. Evans III	English	Castleton State College, B.S.	1971
Robert A. Fenton	Social Studies	Pennsylvania State Univ., B.S.	1963
Edward Giardino	Social Studies	Loyola University, Montreal, B.A.	1970
Barbara Harriman	Physical Education	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969
R. Edward Heywood, Jr.	Music	Lowell State Col., B. of Music Education	1970
Edward Hoxie	Social Studies	Suffolk University, B.A., & M.A.	1971
Mary R. Huff	Business Education	Salem State Teachers College, B.S.	1964
Robert Inman	Social Studies	Salem State Teachers College, B.A.	1970
Barbara Jones	Home Economics	Indiana University of Pennsylvania, B.S.	1971
Donald Long	Physical Education	Univ. of Mass., B.S., Bridgewater State Col., M.Ed.	1959
Mark J. Lincoln	English	Bridgewater State, B.A.	1973
Benjamin J. Losordo	Mathematics	Harvard, A.B.	1971

# **HENRY T. WING JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY — 1973-1974**

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
Gail A. March	Art	Northwestern, B.A., Boston University, M.F.A.	1973
William Naylor	Mathematics	Marietta College, B.S.	1971
Ann Palmer	English	Boston University, B.S.	1970
Sylvia Phillips	Science	West Liberty College, B.A.	1968
Susan M. Pollock	Science	Rhode Island College, A.B.	1973
Theodore M. Ringer	English	Middlebury Col., B.A. & M.A., Harvard, M.A.T.	1973
Bruce Stanford	English	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1964
Salvio Tedeschi	Spanish	Lyndon State College, B.S.	1973
Winthrop Trenholm	Mathematics	Old Dominion College, B.A.	1968
Leo F. Waldron	Science	Bridgewater State, B.S.	1973
Edwin Zion	Mathematics	Bridgewater State Teachers Col., B.S. & M.Ed.	1948
Michelle N. Earle	Library Aide	The Assisium	1973
William Young	Study Hall	Boston State, B.S.	1973

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# **HENRY T. WING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACULTY — 1973-1974**

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
James G. Dolan	Principal	Northeastern University, B.S.;	
Edmund D. Twomey	Asst. Principal	Bridgewater State College, Ed.M.	1960
Joan C. Belliveau	Grade 6	Boston University, B.S., Ed.M.	1973
Donald O. McCulloch	Grade 6	Curry College, B.S.	1971
		University of Nebraska at Omaha, B.G.E.;	
Mary E. Winings	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, M.Ed., Reading	1972
Mary Beth Dunphe	Grade 5	Univ. of Illinois, B.S.;	1969
Kathleen M. Markt	Grade 5	Framingham State College, B.A.	1968
Priscilla C. Stoll	Grade 5	Regis College, B.A.	1973
Mary C. Celeta	Grade 4	Upsala College, A.B.	1964
		Boston Univ., A.B.;	1969
		Bridgewater State, Ed.M.	



Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
Elizabeth T. Ferris	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1971
Linda W. Robbins	Grade 4	University of Maryland, B.S.	1972
MacGregor Wale	Grade 4	Inter-American Univ., San German, B.A.	1968
Margaret M. Alvezi	Grade 3	Hyannis State Teachers College	1957
Virginia E. Lewis	Grade 3	Franklin College, B.A.	1972
R. Naomi White	Grade 3	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S., Ed.M.	1961
Nora M. Bianchi	Grade 2	Hyannis State Teachers College, B.S.	1942
Lois Chenette	Grade 2	Boston State College, B.S.	1972
Linda J. Hart	Grade 2	Framingham State College, B.S.	1972
Christine M. Richard	Grade 2	North Adams State College, B.S.	1969
Sally H. Campbell	Grade 1	State University College, Oswego, N.Y., B.S.	1973
Judith A. Gaylord	Grade 1	Framingham State College, B.S.	1972
Karen M. Milkey	Grade 1	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1972
Pamela J. Santino	Grade 1	Boston State College, B.S.	1969
Emma V. Adams	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1966
Ann E. Hamlen	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S.	1967
Katherine K. Mone	Resource Room	Boston College, B.A.	1973
Grace C. Day	School Psychologist	Montclair College, B.A., M.A.	1973
William K. Earle	Physical Education	University of Massachusetts, B.S.	1972
Christina Jacobi	Art	Adelphi University	1972
Kathleen C. McGonagle	Speech	Emerson College, B.S.	1971
Ann M. McSweeney	Reading Coordinator	Salve Regina Col., A.B.; Univ. of Conn., M.A.	1973
K. Maurine Smith	Remedial Reading	Russell Sage College, B.S., M.A.	1969
Susan I. Zicko	Learning Disabilities	Framingham State College, B.S.	1973
Katherine Alvezi	Teacher Aide		1971
Lynne S. Blake	Teacher Aide		1971
Janice A. Brule	Teacher Aide		1971
Angela J. Curley	Teacher Aide		1973
Marie J. Hamlen	Teacher Aide		1971
June E. Suller	Teacher Aide		1971
Eleanor C. Winslow	Teacher Aide	University of Massachusetts, B.S.	1967

## General Information

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### **School Committee Meetings:**

School Committee meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Henry T. Wing School.

### **School Entrance:**

#### **Kindergarten—**

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend kindergarten provided he has reached the age of four years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

#### **Grade One—**

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend Grade One provided he has reached the age of five years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

The State Laws require that all children seven years of age and over, who are physically and mentally able, attend school.

### **Birth Certificate:**

A birth certificate is required for all children entering either Kindergarten or Grade One.

### **Medical Requirements:**

Medical requirements for school entrance are immunizations, according to the General Laws of Massachusetts, certified by a doctor; also, a physical examination is mandatory.

### **No School:**

Every effort will be made to have school whenever feasible. Children not properly clothed should be kept home on stormy days. On those days when transportation by school bus is impossible, no school session will be held. The notice will be broadcast over radio stations WEEI, WNAC, WBZ, WHDH, and WOCB at 7:00, 7:30, and 8:00 a.m. Also, there will be one long signal from the Sandwich and East Sandwich Fire Stations at 7:00 a.m. for Grades 7-12 and again, at 8:00 a.m. for Grades K-6. In the event that it becomes necessary to close school before the regular dismissal time due to power failure, severe weather conditions, etc., the above radio stations will broadcast this information at 12:00 Noon.

## Superintendent of Schools

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### To the School Committee and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

The simple words "Thank you" often seem inadequate to express the gratitude and appreciation that we feel. Yet there is strong evidence that this very simple expression is all that most people ever hope for and more than many people ever receive.

In this my second annual report to the Citizens of Sandwich as your Superintendent of Schools, I wish to express:

To Mr. Howard Crowell, who has been both Vice-chairman and Chairman of the School Committee, as well as the Co-chairman of the School Building Committee for nine years, my gratitude for his many contributions to the Town of Sandwich;

To Mrs. Wallace Morrow, a member of the School Committee for three years and to Dr. Frank Colombo, a member since 1971, who resigned this past December, my thanks and appreciation for their sincere interest and their many contributions to the educational program;

To the members of the Sandwich School Committee, to those who served on the School Building Committee, to the entire staff of the school system, and to the hundreds of citizens of Sandwich who last year placed a top priority on **community** education, a sincere "Thank you."

By now the people of our community will be well aware of our relationship with the Educational Research Council of America and with such programs as "Project E.R.R." and "Education Redirection and Recycling." We do not live in isolation or learn in a vacuum. Many of our very personal needs and feelings are universally **human** hopes as well. Our affiliations with area and national agencies carry us across the bridges of Cape Cod and expose us to the ideas and idealism of experts in all aspects of education. At the same time these associations bring to us locally, free consultant services and a vast array of programs and curriculum materials that we cannot possibly contrive by ourselves. They make it possible for teachers, aides, and administrators to



receive on-the-scene In-Service Training to meet the complex needs of each individual more effectively and more efficiently. For the associations formed during 1973 that relate educational work in Sandwich to both area and nationwide sources of strength, I am also thankful.

Further, I feel thankful that in 1973 we were able to offer quality education in spite of ever-increasing costs and very badly crowded facilities. Last year was the first year of the state-mandated eighteen-month budget — a budget under which we are still working, and must continue to work until the end of the fiscal year on June 30, 1974. All of us know what has happened to prices since this budget of \$1,871,871 was first adopted. Red ink has become a reality in everyone's budget. A 13% increase in our September, 1973, school enrollment, and a 5% increase in the course of the school year since, have added to our costs very substantially. This further crowds our already over-taxed buildings and places in jeopardy many of our goals on behalf of our children and young people. But in spite of these problems, even a casual glance at my own collection of newspaper clippings for the year supports the claim that Sandwich is clearly in the forefront of high quality education on Cape Cod and even in Massachusetts at large. And — as we look to the immediate future our new school buildings and community education concept are being hailed as “trend-setters” for this part of the nation!

Meanwhile, every new year brings new challenges. One of the greatest of these to face all school systems in Massachusetts this year is the Chapter 766 requirement which takes effect in September of 1974. This new law of the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts requires all communities to provide an adequate education for every child, regardless of his or her special needs. As a result of Chapter 766, our public school system will need to provide programs for the retarded, the crippled, the blind, and the deaf, as well as for the emotionally disturbed and the learning disabled, for whom programs are already in operation in Sandwich. While the cost of this new state-wide requirement is not yet completely certain, it appears as though Sandwich will need to add at least \$70,000 in order to fulfill the legal requirements of the Chapter 766 law. Even as the community faces this challenge though, I feel grateful to know that by means of the addition in 1973 of four new special educators,



we are far better prepared to serve children with special needs than many other school systems.

In 1974 we shall be moving forward with the building of our new high school and the renovation of existing facilities. Community educational programs now still in the planning stages will one by one become living realities, slowly at first, because we lack the place and space for them, but then more rapidly. There is no evidence of any "let-up" in the pace at which we must proceed, and again thankfully, there is no evidence of any "let-down" in the time or effort being expended by our School Committee, by our Special Needs Committees, or by our school staff personnel. By means of CONTACT, the newsletter of the Sandwich Public Schools, and by means of the Cape Cod news media, we shall be constantly informing citizens of the needs, costs, and opportunities that are part of the process of first-rate schools for Sandwich. We shall continue to need and to solicit the questions, constructive criticisms, ideas, and the will of everyone in the community as relates to the policies and practices of our school system. My office staff and I, together with the members of the School Committee, and the school faculties, all renew our commitment to meet with any person or group wishing to know more about what we are doing and why.

For this wide-open kind of inter-communication and shared responsibility, I am most of all grateful. Because of this openness one to another, and because I know that our community is one that wants and is willing to work for and to pay for excellence in education, I look forward to this year with as much confidence and excitement as I look with gratitude on the past year. "Thank you," then, one and all!

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY D'ANTUONO

Superintendent of Schools

## Report of the School Principal

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### To the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools:

Our School Enrollment as of December 31, 1973:

Grade 7	97
Grade 8	92
Grade 9	97
Grade 10	88
Grade 11	71
Grade 12	65

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510 — Total Enrollment

The year 1973 was one of frustration and of great joy. The frustration was, of course, trying to house our student body in limited space and still continue to develop various programs for the students. The great joy was the wonderful response of the citizens of Sandwich in voting for the new school. On behalf of the students, faculty and myself, I thank everyone for their support of the new school. To the various committees and individuals who put so much time and effort into making the school a reality, a very special thank you.

The Glass Chapter of the National Honor Society inducted into their membership the following students: Michael Birch, Susan Hall, Karen Hughbanks, Gerard Hallaren, Karen Myers, Russell Putnam, Laurie Schmelzer, John White, Richard Winslow, Douglas Barrows, Kye Broderson, James Cervantes, Gerald DeConto, David Dinklage, Judy Hendy, William Lamb, Sheryl McMahon, Velia Pola, and Wendy Titcomb.

The Student Council of Sandwich High School sponsored the annual "Activities Night" for students who participated in extra-curricular programs during the school year. Highlight of the evening was the Edwin Zion Good Sportsmanship Award presented to Thomas Miller and Catherine Ward.

Myles Hickey was elected to All Cape Soccer Team and also the Division II All Star Team on the State level. Myles Hickey, Randy Lewis, William Troyanos, Jamie Miller, and

Jerry DeConto played in the All Cape Soccer exhibition played at Harwich.

The Soccer Team finished second in the league and therefore earned the right to play in the State Soccer Tournament, Division II. We lost in first round play, but the team brought honor and recognition to our town.

The Sandwich High School girls' Field Hockey Team won the Cape and Islands Championship and, thanks to the townspeople, had a very successful banquet at the end of the season. Jean Sibson, Laurie Schmelzer, and Pam Whitney were named to the All Star Team in Field Hockey. Honorable Mention went to Debbie King and Nancy O'Hara.

Sandwich Jr. Sr. High School has added Hockey, on the varsity level, to our athletic program. We are members of the Cape & Islands Hockey League for the school year 1973-74.

The following people are new to Sandwich Jr. Sr. High School:

Assistant Principal — Mr. John Chisholm  
 Spanish — Mr. Sylvio Tedeschi  
 English — Mr. James Murphy  
 English — Mr. Mark J. Lincoln  
 English — Mrs. Theodora Ringer  
 Science — Mr. James Campbell  
 Science — Mr. Leo Waldron  
 Science — Miss Susan Pollock  
 Mathematics — Mr. Thomas Jaillet  
 Mathematics — Mr. Benjamin J. Losordo  
 Industrial Arts — Mr. Roger Bergen  
 Art — Miss Gail March  
 Study Hall & Science — Mr. William Young  
 Librarian — Mrs. Alice Douglas  
 School Psychologist — Mrs. Grace Day  
 School Secretary — Mrs. Sharon Rideout

The Sandwich Junior-Senior High School, having its major problem solved in 1973, still continues to improve the quality of education, in spite of the lack of space. Advanced Placement Courses, the introduction of Occupational Education Programs, revised electives in Social Studies, Science, Mathematics and English, expansion of the Fine Arts Program have all helped the program to develop. The addition of Department Heads and a full-time Assistant Principal has



helped the students and faculty to contribute even more to our educational programs.

Every year, in education as well as other professions, we learn through experience. The year 1973 has really brought out some thoughts for all of us to consider.

Our society has failed to understand our role in the maturation process. We have accepted the idea that youth must "do its own thing" and seek truth without our intervention, for fear of some obscure psychic trauma. We have accepted the "generation gap" theme as a reason to disengage from a contest which is necessary for the full maturation of our successors. We have been timid and easily hurt by the challenge to our beliefs and bruises to our ego. We pay for psychiatric and lay counseling under the mistaken belief that technical experts can be hired as surrogate adults, whose functions can supplant that which is rightfully our own.

I, then, am urging you, as parents and faculty, to respond positively to the challenge of our young. Never mind the lumps and bruises, enter education in high spirits, forget old wounds, and respond to the needs of our successors. No one will win or lose. When each of you declares himself honestly and truthfully, some portion of what you are will be incorporated into the being of your offspring or pupil, who will in time find his unique style of life and compendium of belief.

**THE ONLY CRIME IS TO LEAVE THE FIELD AND REFUSE TO FIGHT.**

I shall close my report by sincerely thanking the townspeople, School Committee members, Superintendent of Schools, and the Elementary School Principal, for their efforts on my behalf. To the faculty and school personnel, my sincere thanks for all your help during the past school year.

Respectfully submitted

JAMES H. SIBSON, Principal



## Elementary School Principal

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### To the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools:

This is my fifth annual report and, I believe, the last one I will number.

As I reflect on these years as Principal of the Elementary School, much has changed. Some examples of physical changes are: When I began, the school was comprised of grades kindergarten through grades 5, 367 pupils, 16 classrooms, 7 teachers and supportive professional and non-professional staff members. Now, at the end of 1973, the elementary school is comprised of kindergarten through grade 6, 637 pupils, 23 classroom teachers and 20 supportive professional and non-professional staff members. Indications are that we have not stopped growing.

Remaining in this reflective frame of mind, we have many people who have moved on to other endeavors. The School Committee has completely changed membership in this period of time: Mrs. Joan Morrow and Mr. Howard Crowell are the most recent members who have left the Committee. Each made contributions to education in the community; in addition, Mr. Crowell had the responsibility of the Chairmanship of the School Building Committee. Filling the empty seats of these two members are Mr. William Hendy and Mr. David Perssons, both of whom will leave their educational imprints as time moves on.

Other educational changes in personnel are: Mr. Edmund Twomey, part-time Assistant Principal/Teacher; Miss Ann McSweeney, Reading Coordinator; Miss Susan Zicko, Learning Disabilities; Miss Kathleen Mone, Resource Teacher; Miss Kathleen Markt, Grade 5; Mrs. Sally Campbell, Grade 1; Mrs. Grace Day, School Psychologist; and Mrs. Angela Curley, Teacher Aide. Some of the aforementioned are filling vacancies of those who have left; some are assigned to new positions; some are part-time workers; but all are making worthwhile educational contributions to the school and the pupils and also, to the community.

This year, we have more people involved in the elementary school through a volunteer program supervised and di-

rected by Mr. Twomey. With additional contributions and support of this type, I am confident that educational goals such as continuous progress learning, individualization, team teaching, etc., are within our grasp.

Education is very much in the news these days. Such questions as, "How can education be financed?" — "Are we doing a good job of educating our children?" — "Are teachers properly prepared for teaching?" — "Is our youth prepared for work upon the completion of public schooling?" All of these questions seem to be the subject for discussion. I will let them remain on that basis but will extend to you as taxpayers, citizens, and parents an invitation to visit the school and see what education is like in the 70's.

The opportunity now arises for me to thank everyone for their support at the recent Town Meeting. The work of many people reached fulfillment in the vote for the new school buildings. Work is already under way for the physical needs of education, and we will continue to evaluate and formulate new plans in the curriculum, etc., to further improve the educational programs for each child enrolled in the elementary school.

Again, as in past years, may we at the elementary school express our appreciation to the community for its past support and cooperation in all our educational endeavors. It is that kind of feeling which attracts people to Sandwich, and which makes them want to stay. Do drop in and see what is going on when you have the opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. DOLAN, Principal

## Report of the School Nurse

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### To the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools:

The school health program tries to promote, protect and maintain the health of all pupils. For a child to learn most effectively, he must be healthy. By providing a healthful environment the child is able to progress towards his full potential. The school nurse is responsible for first aid, assisting with medical examinations and immunizations, screening, health counseling, record keeping and follow up to assure effective action on findings and recommendations of the school health program. She is available to help the parent in his responsibility.

The Immunization Clinic provided the following:

Kindergarten .....	5	Rubella Vaccine
Grades K - 8 .....	102	Measles Vaccine
Grade 7 .....	21	Mumps Vaccine
Grades 9 - 12 .....	34	Smallpox Vaccine
Grade 10 .....	30	Tetanus - Diphtheria B
Grades 1 & 9 .....	103	Tuberculin Tine Test

A pre-school clinic was held in June for all students who would be entering school in September. Thirty-seven children attended. Physical examinations and required immunizations were given by Dr. Charles Gleason, Pediatrician. Miss Frances Silva and Mrs. Peter Closson assisted with the clinic.

Annual physical examinations were given by Dr. John Lewis (School Physician) to all students who participate in competitive sports. Routine examinations were given in grades 4, 7 and 10.

According to State Law all school personnel, including volunteers, must be certified free of tuberculosis every three years. This year in place of the chest X-Ray, a tuberculin skin test (Mantoux) was given. Those unable to have the skin test were scheduled to have a chest X-Ray.

Hearing and Vision screening is conducted in all grades. Testing is arranged to keep class interruption at a minimum.

The Future Nurses Club participates in various health programs and clinics conducted at school and within the community. A field trip to Massachusetts General Hospital School of Nursing was made and enjoyed by the students.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the parents, the administration and faculty, the School Physician and all those who have helped me in my position as School Nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

JANET E. DAVIS, R.N.

School Nurse



## HENRY T. WING SCHOOL

Membership by Age and Grade — October 1, 1973

Grade	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Totals	
B K	7	30	1													38	
G K	7	36														43	81
B 1		8	46	3												57	
G 1		7	37	1												45	102
B 2			6	37	3											46	
G 2			4	28	1											33	79
B 3				8	39	5										52	
G 3				5	31	1										37	89
B 4					6	35	5									46	
G 4					11	43	4									58	104
B 5						8	29	7								44	
G 5						4	31	5								40	84
B 6							4	31	8			1				44	
G 6							6	39	3							48	92
B 7								9	36	7	1					53	
G 7								6	35	6						47	100
B 8									2	37	9					48	
G 8									12	32	2					46	94
B 9										8	28	8	3			47	
G 9										12	30	5	1			48	95
B 10											8	34	4			46	
G 10											5	31	5			41	87
B 11												3	28	3		34	
G 11												5	29	1		35	69
B 12													3	22	4	29	
G 12													6	29	3	38	67
B RR				1		1	1									3	
G RR							2									2	5
Boy Tot.	7	38	53	49	48	49	39	47	46	52	46	46	38	25	4	587	
Girl Tot.	7	43	41	34	43	48	43	50	50	50	37	41	41	30	3	561	1148

## 1973 COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

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PRELUDE	"Colour My World"
PROCESSIONAL	"Pomp and Circumstance"
INVOCATION*	The Reverend John H. Thomas
WELCOME ADDRESS	Judith Kosarick
HONOR ESSAY	Louann Denney
CHORUS SELECTIONS	"Sound of Music" Rogers and Hammerstein "Morning Has Broken" Cat Stevens
CLASS GIFT	Judith Kosarick
HONOR ESSAY	Stephen Gourley
HONOR ESSAY	Sarah Dinklage
AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES	Mr. David Persson, Sandwich School Committee
THE CLASS OF "73"	Patricia Stanley
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS	Dr. Anthony D'Antuono, Superintendent
ALMA MATER*	Senior Class, Chorus, and Audience
BENEDICTION*	The Reverend Father William Morris
RECESSIONAL*	"Hogan's Heroes March"—Fielding

Special Guests — Jean Santos and Robert Spieldenner

\*Audience Standing

## CLASS OF 1973

Richard William Anderson*	Cynthia Jean Hughes
Sharon Eloise Arnold	* Bethany C. Knowles
Stephanie Marie Arthur	x Judith Mae Kosarick
James Alan Boyko	Deborah Lang Lewis
Jacqueline Broderson	Joseph Brady Mahoney
Paul David Bucell	Deborah Ann Mennett
Glen Wayne Burbank	Maureen Helen McCarthy
Charles Arnold Burke	* Thomas Anthony Miller
Rebecca Eleanor Burke	Gayle Priscilla Morrow
* Jymme Lou Butcher	Darleen Frances Murphy
Jonathan Bryn Cornelius	Wayne D. Petty
Peter Joseph Crane	* Lauri Ann Pola
Susan Ann Daniel	* Frederic Tripp Reynolds III
x David Joseph DeConto	x Daniel Charles Ring
* Louann Marcia Denney	Susan Elaine Roza
xxx Sarah Carol Dinklage	Donna Marie Santos
Daniel Edward Donovan	Leah Mary Sawyer
Kristen Duchesney	Sharon Ann Scovill
* Debra Anne Elvander	Stephen Arthur Silva
Patricia Ann Finerty	Nils Alexander Soderberg
Deborah Frances Fournier	x Stevenie Ann Spieldenner
* xx Stephen Kenneth Gourley	* Irene Mary Sprague
x Valerie Jean Gironde	* Patricia Jeanne Stanley
Kenneth James Green	Roy James Thibideau
Joan Marie Hamlen	Edward Payson Titcomb
William Rodney Hendy III	Evelyn Marie Tully
Timothy Taber Hillman	* Jean Marie Velsor
Fred James Hoeflick	* Catherine Frances Ward
* Dorothy Gloria Hogan	x Dianna Lynn Weekes
Robert Seymour Hoxie, Jr.	Christopher James Wood

\* National Honor Society

x Honor Students

xx Salutatorian

xxx Valedictorian

## Class Officers

President .....	Judith M. Kosarick
Vice President .....	Jean M. Velsor
Secretary .....	Catherine F. Ward
Treasurer .....	Patricia J. Stanley

**SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS****June 1, 1973****Faunce Scholarship**

The Faunce Scholarship has been awarded to two outstanding members of the Senior Class: PATRICIA STANLEY and CHARLES BURKE.

Miss Stanley will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Mr. Burke will attend Wheaton College, Illinois.

**Sandwich High School Association Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to three outstanding students: THOMAS MILLER, SHARON SCOVILL and DANIEL RING.

Mr. Miller will attend Wentworth Institute.

Miss Scovill will attend Fitchburg State College.

Mr. Ring will attend Hartford University.

**Sandwich Women's Club Mary Howland Wing Scholarship**

Presented to a worthy student by the Sandwich Women's Club: SARAH DINKLAGE.

Miss Dinklage will attend Smith College.

**Hannah B. Belcher Scholarship**

This scholarship is awarded to a deserving member of the Senior Class: JYMME BUTCHER.

Miss Butcher will attend the University of Houston.

**Chamberlain Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to: DEBORAH LEWIS.

Miss Lewis will attend Castleton State College in Vermont.

**John F. Clayton Scholarship**

Presented to a worthy student: DEBORAH FOURNIER.

Miss Fournier will attend Cape Cod Community College.

**Sandwich Men's Club Scholarship**

Presented to two worthy students: CHRISTOPHER WOOD and DANIEL RING.

Mr. Wood will attend North Adams State College.

**Mary Baker Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to eight worthy students: STEPHEN GOURLEY, LOUANN DENNEY, EDWARD TITCOMB, BETHANY KNOWLES, JOAN HAMLEN, STEPHANIE ARTHUR, JACQUELINE BRODERSON and JEAN VELSOR.

Mr. Gourley will attend the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.



Miss Denney will attend Westfield State College.

Mr. Titcomb will attend the New Mexico Highlands University.

Miss Knowles will attend the Massachusetts College of Art.

Miss Hamlen will attend Johnson State College in Vermont.

Miss Arthur will attend Upper Cape Cod Vocational Technical School.

Miss Broderson will attend Cape Cod Community College.

#### **John Forni Scholarship**

Presented to an outstanding citizen of the school community: JUDITH KOSARICK.

Miss Kosarick will attend the University of Massachusetts.

#### **Harold Irving Smith Scholarship**

Given by his daughter, Mrs. Albert Keith — to three outstanding students in the field of Art and/or Music: BETHANY KNOWLES, TIMOTHY HILLMAN and GAYLE MORROW.

Mr. Hillman will attend Berklee College.

Miss Morrow will attend Providence College.

#### **Lion's Club Scholarship**

Presented to two deserving Seniors: CATHERINE WARD and DANIEL RING.

Miss Ward will attend St. Joseph's College.

#### **Barnstable Comedy Club Scholarship**

Presented to: SARAH DINKLAGE.

#### **National Honor Society Scholarship**

Presented to three deserving students: IRENE SPRAGUE, DOROTHY HOGAN and FREDERIC REYNOLDS.

Miss Hogan will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Mr. Reynolds will attend Babson College.

#### **Sandwich Junior Women's Club Scholarship**

The Sandwich Junior Women's Club Scholarship is to be granted to a member of the graduating class who will continue his or her education for at least a period of two years as a full time student in an accepted or recognized institution of higher learning: JOSEPH MAHONEY and CYNTHIA HUGHES.

Mr. Mahoney will attend the University of Massachusetts.

Miss Hughes will attend Cape Cod Community College.

#### **Future Teachers of America Scholarship**

Presented by the Sandwich High School Future Teachers of America, awarded to: PATRICIA STANLEY.

**Sandwich Teachers Association Scholarship**

Sandwich Teachers Association first annual scholarship awards: One award to a graduate who plans to become a teacher: CATHERINE WARD; and one award to a graduate who plans to continue his education in any area: CHARLES BURKE.

**Sandwich Health Association Scholarship**

Presented to two students planning to become nurses: SUSAN ROZA and MAUREEN MCCARTHY.

Both Miss Roza and Miss McCarthy will attend Cape Cod Community College Nursing Program.

**Sealand of Cape Cod Marine Scholarship**

First time awarded to a Sandwich High School student: DAVID DeCONTO.

Mr. DeConto will attend the University of Rhode Island.

**Sandwich Arts & Crafts Association Scholarship**

Awarded to a deserving student: BETHANY KNOWLES.

**Barnstable County Legal Secretaries Association Scholarship**

Awarded to a deserving student: DEBORAH FOURNIER.

**The Muriel S. Torrey Award for Community Service**

A memorial award for good citizenship: Presented by the Church Circle of the First Church of Christ: JEAN VELSOR.

**Sandwich Police Association Award**

Presented for good citizenship to an outstanding Senior: DIANNA WEEKES.

**Bausch and Lomb Science Award**

Awarded for proficiency in science: STEPHEN GOURLEY.

**D.A.R. Student Government Day Representative**

Chosen by members of her class: JEAN VELSOR.

**D.A.R. Good Citizen Award**

Presented to JEAN VELSOR.

**Balfour Key**

Presented to THOMAS MILLER.

**National Merit Semifinalist Award**

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation has awarded a "Letter of Commendation" to three of our Seniors. This letter signifies "High Performance" on the 1972 National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test: CHARLES BURKE, LAURI POLA and DIANNA WEEKES.

**National Merit Finalist Award**

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation has awarded a "Certificate of Merit" to one of our Seniors: STEPHEN GOURLEY.

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OF THE

## Town of Sandwich



Upper Falls, Shawme Pond  
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1974

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF SANDWICH

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1974

KENDALL PRINTING, INC.  
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# *In Memoriam*

KATHERINE JOSEPHINE BRADY

1881 - 1974

*Served the Town of Sandwich  
as a Member of the*

*Board of Registrars of Voters  
1952 - 1957*

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WILLARD E. BOYDEN

1898 - 1974

*Served the Town of Sandwich  
as Moderator*

1938 - 1948

1967 - 1971

*Member of School Committee*

1966 - 1971

## SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

Listed below are the scheduled meetings  
of Town Organizations

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Appeal Board	7:30 P.M. - Town Hall
2nd and 4th Tuesday — (If Hearing scheduled)	
Bicentennial Committee	7:30 P.M. - Clark-Haddad Hall
1st and 3rd Monday each Month	
Board of Health	7:30 P.M. - Town Hall
1st Tuesday each Month	
Board of Selectmen	10 A.M. - Town Hall
Each Monday	
Conservation Commission	7:30 P.M. - Town Hall
3rd Monday each Month	
Fire Engineers	Cape & Island Insurance Office
1st Tuesday each Month	4:00 p.m.
Planning Board	7:30 P.M. - Town Hall
1st and 3rd Wednesday each Month	
Sandwich Historic Dist. Committee	7:30 P.M. - Town Hall
2nd and 4th Monday each Month	
Planning Board	7:30 P.M. - Town Hall
1st and 3rd Wednesday each Month	
School Committee	Conf. Room at H. T. Wing School
4th Wednesday each Month	7:30 P.M.

When planning a special meeting, the above schedule should be consulted to avoid confusion.

# Town Officers for 1974

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## ELECTED OFFICIALS

Term Expires

### SELECTMEN

Carlo A. Pola	1975
Carl H. Hiler, Chairman	1976
H. Eugene Carr	1977

### ASSESSORS

Carlo A. Pola	1975
Carl H. Hiler	1976
H. Eugene Carr, Chairman	1977

### TOWN CLERK, TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR

Channing E. Hoxie	1977
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### HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Clarence R. VanBuskirk	1976
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### TREE WARDEN

William J. Ellis	1976
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### MODERATOR

William A. Bullock	1976
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### CONSTABLES

Clyde S. Gill	1975
Haskell E. Hawkins	1976
George E. Elvander	1977

### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Roberta Leydon	1975
Stanley A. Torrey	1975
William R. Hendy, Jr.	1976
David P. Persson, Secretary	1976
Betty E. Bridges	1977
Roland F. DeConto, Chairman	1977



Term Expires

**BOARD OF HEALTH**

Allen E. Peterson	1975
Robert D. McKillop	1976
Robert H. Ellis, Chairman	1977

**TRUSTEES OF THE SANDWICH LIBRARY**

William Collins (unexpired term)	1975
Burton J. Jones (resigned Sept. 13, 1974)	1975
Beryl A. O'Connell, Secretary	1975
William A. Warren	1975
Kathryn Bourne	1976
Robert M. Felton, Chairman	1976
Dorothy A. Fisher	1976
Howard J. Carlson	1977
Clara N. Field	1977
Russell A. Scully	1977

**TRUSTEES OF WESTON MEMORIAL FUND**

John H. Field	1975
David C. Hopkins	1976
Howard J. Carlson, Secretary and Treasurer	1977

**TRUSTEES CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING**

Charles Wennerstrom	1975
Carl H. Hiler, Chairman Board of Selectmen	
Clarence R. VanBuskirk, Chairman	1976
Carl E. Bazzinotti	1976
Carl E. Leino, Secretary	1977
Dennis A. Earle	1977

**PLANNING BOARD**

Chester C. Cross	1975
John A. Coe	1976
William G. Bryden, Chairman	1977
David W. Allen	1978
Jonathan Fitch	1979

**SANDWICH HOUSING AUTHORITY**

Elizabeth L. Currier, Secretary	1975
Edgar E. Caron, Chairman	1976
Norman E. Welch, Vice Chairman	1977
Allen R. Carpenter, Assistant Treasurer	1978
George C. Campbell, Treasurer (State Appointment)	1979

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEMBER**

Edgar E. Caron	1976
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## APPOINTED OFFICIALS

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	Term Expires
<b>TOWN ACCOUNTANT</b>	
Nancy J. Laffoon	1975
<b>TOWN COUNSEL</b>	
Alan A. Green	1975
<b>TOWN ENGINEER</b>	
William C. Taylor	1975
<b>CLERK FOR ASSESSORS</b>	
Barbara L. Kiley	1975
<b>ASSISTANT TOWN CLERK</b>	
Barbara J. Walling	1975
<b>ASSISTANT TREASURER</b>	
Jean C. Cervantes	1975
<b>ASSISTANT TO THE TAX COLLECTOR</b>	
Beulah Southworth	1975
<b>VETERANS' AGENT, DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES AND VETERANS' BURIAL AGENT</b>	
Charles H. Cross	1975
<b>VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER</b>	
Elizabeth L. Currier	1975
<b>PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE</b>	
Frances M. Silva, R.N.	1975

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Robert D. Whearty, Jr., Chief	James R. Spofford, Patrolman
Roger T. Davis, Sergeant	Michael R. Walker, Patrolman
George E. Elvander, Sergeant	Haskell E. Hawkins, Patrolman
Clyde S. Gill, Sergeant	James Stewart, Jr., Patrolman
E. Bartlett, McKay, Sergeant	William P. McBride, Patrolman
James R. Swift, Patrolman	Stephen M. Pelletier, Patrolman

**Term Expires**

Richard A. Kestenbaum, Patrol'n Robert L. Johnson, Patrol'n  
 Ronald W. Nurse, Patrolman Russell J. Files, Patrolman  
 Richard L. Anderson, Patrolman Barry R. Clifford, Patrol'n\*  
 James M. Foley, Patrolman Bruce A. Jillson, Patrolman\*\*

\* (resigned 7/29/74)

\*\* (resigned 11/3/74)

**COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICER**

Michael J. Miller

**PERMANENT INTERMITTENT PATROLMEN**

Chester S. Rich Richard E. Canning, Sr.  
 David P. Canning

**SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS**

Edmund V. Serodio George P. Russell  
 John A. McArdle Albert E. Gooding, Jr.  
 Daniel J. O'Connell Lester Geary  
 David Persson Joseph M. Cotter  
 John H. Winslow William Duncan  
 Arnold L. Barnes, Jr. William A. Calvert  
 George Fernandes

**POLICE — LIMITED SERVICE**

James C. Burke Taisto E. Ranta  
 Floyd J. Folmsbee Russell W. Anderson  
 Norman W. Hayes Harrison E. Reed, Jr.  
 Douglas M. Kalweit John A. Coe  
 James McGrail Douglas J. Arnold  
 Francis J. Silva

**WIRE INSPECTOR**

Edgar E. Caron 1975

**BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Sven E. Hanson 1975  
 Lester E. Geary, Deputy 1975

**SIGN INSPECTOR**

Sven E. Hanson 1975  
 Lester E. Geary, Deputy 1975

Term Expires

**SANITARY INSPECTOR  
BOARD OF HEALTH AGENT  
PLUMBING INSPECTOR**

Edward F. Montague, Jr. (app. by Board of Health) 1975

**GAS INSPECTOR**

Melvin R. Kent 1975

**SHELLFISH CONSTABLE**

Eugene H. Morrow 1976

Francis G. Silva, Deputy 1976

**PARK DEPARTMENT**

Raymond L. Thayer, Foreman 1975

**FIRE ENGINEERS**

W. Gordon Swan, Clerk 1975

Ferdinand L. Alvezi, Chief Engineer 1975

George H. Crawford 1975

Eugene H. Morrow 1975

William W. Ward 1975

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Ferdinand L. Alvezi, Chief 1975

Dennis E. Newman, Lieutenant 1975

Thomas A. Manley, Lieutenant 1975

Herbert G. Stewart, Jr., Lieutenant 1975

Vincent Harrington, Fireman 1975

Walter Cahoon, Fireman 1975

William Costa, Fireman 1975

Gordon Wallace, Fireman 1975

Keith Lehmann, Fireman 1975

Herbert R. Polson, Fireman 1975

Chris A. Uggerholt, Fireman 1975

David P. Canning, Fireman 1975

Robert J. George, Fireman 1975

Peter Beauchemin, Fireman 1975

**FOREST WARDEN**

Ferdinand L. Alvezi 1975



Term Expires

**DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS**

(Appointed by Forest Warden)

Robert White	Herbert Weaver
Gerald Caron	W. Gordon Swan
Richard Currier	John White
Foster Willoughby	Clyde Tripp
Richard V. Raymond	

**INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND MEAT**

(Appointed by Board of Health)

Hilda E. Whitmore	1975
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**INSECT PEST SUPERINTENDENT**

William J. Ellis	1975
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**FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Raymond H. Ostrander, Chairman	Clifford R. Nelson
C. Ruggles Smith	Robert N. Johnson
Fred W. Lehmann	Harvey A. Magnant*

\* (resigned 7/11/74)

**REGISTRARS OF VOTERS**

Niilo R. Ahonen	1975
Edward F. Montague, Jr.	1976
Ida D. O'Brien	1977

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

J. Albert Torrey, Chairman	1975
Daniel E. Potter	1975
William H. Richards	1976
Gary A. Nickerson	1976
Peter Meini	1976
Meredith W. Bourne, Secretary	1977
John M. Mendonza	1977
Bernard C. DiPietro (resigned Dec. 15, 1974)	
James J. George (resigned October 1974)	

**DOG AND CONSERVATION OFFICER**

Francis G. Silva	1975
Haskell E. Hawkins, Deputy	1975

Term Expires

**APPEAL BOARD  
AND SIGN CODE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Albert Roberti, Chairman	1975
Edward W. Osgood, Jr.	1975
John A. Harvey	1976
Roland F. DeConto, Vice Chairman	1977
Ann C. Sullivan	1977
Charles C. Fears (resigned Sept. 24, 1974)	
Associate Members:	
Peter J. Closson	1977
Peter M. Boniface	1977

**MARINA COMMITTEE**

Rev. William Morris, Chairman	Howard J. Carlson
John H. Field	Charles C. Russell
Benjamin H. Morrow	

**HARBOR MASTER**

Edwin T. Moffitt	1975
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**SANDWICH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMITTEE**

(Old King's Highway Regional Historic District)

Grattan Gill	1976
Seth S. Pope	1976
Robert W. Bridges	1977
George Sutton	1978
Donald Bourne, Chairman	1979

**SANDWICH HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Susan Andrews	1975
David F. Wright, Chairman	1975
Ross A. Vander Pyl	1975
Russell A. Lovell, Secretary	1976
Barbara L. Gill	1976
Albert C. Cook	1977
C. Ruggles Smith	1977

**CAPE COD PLANNING AND ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

Carl H. Hiler, Member	1977
John Louis Roberti, Alternate Member	1977

Term Expires

**SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Walter T. Fagnant	William R. Hendy, Jr., Vice Chm.
Stanley A. Torrey, Chairman	Dorothy Smith
Frank C. Bess	

**TOWN HALL STUDY COMMITTEE**

Carl H. Hller	Selectman
John A. Coe	Planning Board
Albert Roberti	Board of Appeals
Robert H. Ellis	Board of Health
John M. Mendonza	Conservation Commission
John H. Field	Historic District Commission
David F. Wright	Historical Commission
Channing E. Hoxie	Town Clerk
Pearl Rosser	Sandwich Citizens Organization
Sven E. Hanson	Building Inspector
William C. Taylor	Town Engineer
John A. Erickson	Member-at-Large
Gratton Gill	Member-at-Large
Shirley G. Gross	Sandwich Woman's Club
Virginia Amidon	Sandwich Junior Woman's Club
Albert C. Cook	Historical Society
James Cervantes	Heritage Plantation

**RECREATION COMMITTEE**

Lydia F. Borjeson, Co-Chairman	William F. O'Neil
Robert C. Messier, Co-Chairman	Peter J. Cooke, III
Catherine A. Hawes	Carlo M. DiPersio
Silvio Tedeschi, Director (app. by Recreation Committee.)	
Patricia L. McArdle	

**COUNCIL ON AGING**

William E. Duncan, Treasurer	1975
James W. Megley, Vice Chairman	1975
Isabel Pifer, Secretary	1976
Clifton F. Robinson	1976
Elizabeth S. Beale	1977
Frances E. Jeger	1977
Ernest Oetinger, Chairman	1977

**SANDWICH NURSING ADVISORY BOARD**

Eleanor Bangs	Ruth Kelley
Irene Beers	Dr. John H. Lewis

	Term Expires
Betty E. Bridges	Marilyn Myers
Dawn Closson	Dr. Robert J. O'Doherty
Janet Davis	Carlo A. Pola
Dr. J. Harold Demers	Margaret S. Pola
William E. Duncan	Allen Peterson
Florence Hall	Frances M. Silva
Carl H. Hiller	Tekla Cote
Hazel Keith	Florence White

#### **THORNTON W. BURGESS CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Nancy E. Titcomb, Chairman	Rosanna Cullity
Elizabeth G. Phillips, Treasurer	W. Gordon Swan
Russell A. Lovell, Jr.	

#### **CIVIL DEFENSE**

W. Gordon Swan, Director	1975
C. Bernard Jones, Deputy Director	1975
Ellis N. Palmer, Jr., Deputy Director	1975

#### **SANDWICH BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Carl Leino, Chairman	Julius Mueller
Mona Brown, Secretary	Clifford A. Needham
J. Russell Wisner, Treasurer	Beverly Turnbull
Peter Andrews	James Turnbull
Betsy Brown	Carolyn Weimar
Paul Brown	Francis Young
George Fernandez	Gail Young
Barbara Gill	Alvin Crocker
Thomas Hutcheson	H. Eugene Freeman
Penelope Lovell	Susan B. Hill
Francis X. Martin	Joseph Pistorio
Mildred Mueller	Ross VanderPyl
Geoffrey Pope, Town Crier	Richard S. Gallant
William L. Doyle (resigned September 11, 1974)	
Josephine B. Stearns (resigned October 31, 1974)	



## Report of the Board of Selectmen

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To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

The make up of the 1974 Town Report will be found to be somewhat different than previous years. There has been an effort made by the Departments and Committees to report their activities for the calendar year ending December 31, 1974 so as to be more current in their reporting. However, since the new fiscal year now runs from July 1 to June 30 it becomes necessary to report the financial transactions of the Town only through June 30, 1974 at the closing period of the Town Financial Records. This situation is somewhat confusing to us, as no doubt it will be to others, but with the change of the fiscal year by the state we seem to have no choice.

Because of the economic condition which has affected Sandwich as well as the rest of the country, new business and construction activities were considerably curtailed throughout the year. However, as the result of the carry over of previous commitments we did experience a reasonable amount of activity. Most departments were able to handle the normal requirements without the pressure or tension that had been experienced previously.

The activities of our many summer attractions enjoyed a satisfactory year. While early in the year it was feared that the economic situation might have an adverse effect on our summer visitors, it seems to have had little or no effect. All activities reported satisfactory attendance and in most cases an increase over the previous year.

The usual Town annual activities were again carried out successfully and satisfactorily. The Memorial Day exercises were again impressive in honoring the memories of those who were in the armed forces of our country in past years. The Fourth of July celebration again covered a full day of activities. The morning parade and sports events for the young people; with the day being completed in the evening at Shawme Pond with the Band Concert, Boat Carnival, and aerial fireworks display. Sandwich evening Fourth of July activities have been well accepted and enjoyed throughout the area. It seems each year more and more visitors join us to appreciate these activities.

Also this year the Bicentennial Committee added to the color of our summer activities with their march on the Court House in Barnstable and the installation of the Freedom Pole. These are all a preview of the programs they have planned for 1975 and 1976.

Another section of Quaker Meeting House Road, built under the state highway program Chapter 90, was completed and opened for traffic in the early summer. Still another section of Quaker Meeting House Road from Route 6A to the Mid-Cape Highway has left the drawing board and will be constructed in 1975, to be completed this fall before the opening of the new high school.

The Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee, in their activities to celebrate Mr. Burgess' One Hundredth Birthday, had a very successful year, which was well received by many. The Book which they sponsored was in big demand and their displays and sale of Burgess souvenirs and books was a tremendous success. The parade highlighting the anniversary was outstanding with the floats, bands, and marching groups and showed the effort involved for which those who directed and planned the affair should receive congratulations. Also in cooperation with the Conservation Commission, the Briar Patch was formally dedicated and opened for visitors.

The much needed surface drainage in the Town Neck Section was installed in the fall. While the weather and the availability of some supplies curtailed the completion it will be completed during the spring. The construction and weather did create some traffic problems which are impossible to avoid during major construction projects, but with the completion of the work these conditions will be corrected and it is felt that the surface drainage problems will be solved.

The Board has appreciated working with and for the people of Sandwich throughout the year. We also wish to express our appreciation to the elected and appointed officials with whom we have worked during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL H. HILER, Chairman  
CARLO A. POLA  
H. EUGENE CARR  
Board of Selectmen

## Assessors' Report

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To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

At the time of the 1974 Annual Town Meeting, with the information available and the action of Town Meeting on the money articles presented, it was indicated that the fiscal tax rate would be \$22.00. This was in May 1974. Then in July the General Court with the approval of the governor, in their wisdom or for some other reason, adjusted some of the formulas covering the state reimbursements to the cities and towns. Sandwich was therefore advised by a cherry sheet supplement that the state's original cherry sheet estimate covering assessments and reimbursements had been revised, showing a decrease to the Town of more than \$950,000.00.

There was no place to go at that time but to the Tax Rate. As you all know, the 1975 tax rate was by necessity set at \$28.00. This was regrettable but under the conditions there was no other choice.

The Town experienced a substantial increase in the tax base for 1974, going over 140 million dollars. It is hard to realize that in 1964, ten years ago, the tax base for the Town was only 8 million dollars and twenty years ago, in 1954, the tax base was  $4\frac{1}{2}$  million. Those who have been involved in Town activities during these periods realize the changes that have been affected by this growth.

As a result of the Legislative action in changing the formulas for distribution of state funds to cities and towns, the Towns of Bourne and Sandwich brought legal action in an effort to reconsider the revision of some of the formulas. However, the Town of Sudbury and others already had a case pending in the Superior Court, so no action was taken on the Bourne and Sandwich case.

The Superior Court finally ruled on the Sudbury case, (and in brief), ordered the Department of Corporations and Taxation to enforce the General Laws relative to taxation and see that all cities and towns assess property at a fair cash value.



As is known, Sandwich had a complete real estate revaluation in 1958 and again in 1969. Since that time the assessing firms have each year valued new construction, land splits and changes, in accordance with the established formula, so that while we have not kept pace with the changing values, we have endeavored to maintain a fair and equitable valuation on all real estate, so as to be fair to all. However, with the figures available on sales since 1970 our percentage to fair cash value is substantially reduced. It is going to be necessary, in conforming with the court ruling, to give consideration in the near future to a new revaluation of real property throughout the Town. All indications are that this has become a legal requirement on which we have little, if any, choice.

Respectfully submitted,

H. EUGENE CARR, Chairman  
CARL H. HILER  
CARLO A. POLA  
Board of Assessors



# ASSESSORS' REPORT — VALUATION COMPARISON

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	1973	1974	Fiscal 1975
Value of Real Estate	\$114,879,100.00	\$137,942,300.00	\$137,942,300.00
Value of Personal Property	4,245,551.00	4,759,100.00	4,759,100.00
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	\$119,124,651.00	\$142,701,400.00	\$142,701,400.00
Dwellings Assessed	3,002	3,364	3,364
(Cabins, Cottages & Motel Units)	450	1,040	1,040
Acres of Land Assessed	16,781	16,781	16,781
Number of Horses Assessed	64	65	65
Number of Cows Assessed	3	61	61
Value of Buildings	87,454,200.00	108,164,600.00	108,164,600.00
Value of Land	27,419,800.00	29,777,700.00	29,777,700.00
Net Amount Raised by Taxation	3,573,739.53	1,212,961.90	3,995,639.20
Overlay	85,618.79	21,575.99	67,189.38
Rate per \$1,000. Valuation	20.00	8.50	28.00

## Report of the Town Accountant

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

In accordance with Chapter 41, Section 61 of the General Laws, I herewith submit my third annual report covering the eighteen month fiscal period January 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974.

My sincere thanks to the Selectmen, Department Heads and Town Employees for the kind assistance and cooperation shown during the past fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY J. LAFFOON  
Town Accountant

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### APPROPRIATIONS

January 1, 1973 — June 30, 1974

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Legislative	\$750.00
Law	20,000.00
Certification of Notes	1,000.00
Interest	31,675.00
Selectmen	35,354.00
Assessors	30,962.00
Accountant	12,532.00
Clerical — S A & A	39,670.00
Treasurer	9,348.06
Tax Collector	17,439.87
Town Clerk	5,694.42
Clerical — Treasurer, Tax Collector, etc.	36,419.34
Election and Registration	9,515.00
Fire and Police Building	6,610.00
Town Hall	10,260.00
Police	360,866.00
Communication Center	44,326.32
Fire	237,297.00

Forest Warden	2,475.00
Woods Roads	700.00
Insect Pest Control	9,400.00
Dutch Elm Control	14,250.00
Tree Warden	9,450.00
Wire Inspector	3,180.00
Building Inspector	14,615.75
Gas Inspector	3,115.00
Health and Sanitation	71,225.00
Public Health Nurse	42,314.30
Highways General	122,000.00
Finance Committee	750.00
Veterans' Services	60,000.00
School	1,831,398.00
Library	34,000.00
Miscellaneous	750.00
Clark-Haddad Memorial Building	3,360.00
Street Lights	20,000.00
Planning Board	12,234.00
Appeal Board	1,800.00
Historic District Commission	300.00
Park Department	36,827.00
Memorial Day	1,200.00
Christmas Lighting	2,500.00
Tax Title Account	15,800.00
Hydrant Rental	1,500.00
Town Reports and Warrants	8,000.00
4th of July Celebration	2,500.00
Public Entertainment	1,000.00
Town Advertising	1,000.00
Binding Town Records	500.00
Greenhead Fly Control	844.00
Recreation Committee	37,527.00
Fish and Game	400.00
Town Insurance	44,000.00
Town Clock	500.00
Cemeteries	5,500.00
Conservation Committee	17,565.00
Vocational School — Capital and Operation	74,620.15
Principal Payment — School Loan 1958	25,000.00
Principal Payment — School Loan 1963	100,000.00
Interest on Tax Loans	17,000.00
Sandwich Historical Commission	1,000.00
Engineering Department	47,294.00

Civil Defense	948.00
Town Garage	10,260.00
Shellfish Warden	1,612.00
Dog and Conservation Officer	14,865.00
Council on Aging	4,600.00
Highways — Chapter 81	7,942.00
Highways — Chapter 90	20,500.00
County Land Damages	9,840.33
Cape Cod Mental Health	1,291.00
Advisory Landscape Council	7,500.00
School Building — Portable Classrooms	61,525.00
Tennis Courts and Ballfield Repairs	14,150.00
Ryder Property Purchase	150,916.00
Ahonen, Geary and Cahoon Property Purchases	102,000.00
Swain Property Purchase	200,000.00
Ploughed Neck Culvert Repair	2,500.00
Groin Construction (Jetties)	26,500.00
Mount Hope Cemetery Wall	8,500.00
Police Station Generator	5,000.00
Brush Breaker — Tanker Conversion	8,500.00
Highways:	
Route 130 — Quaker Meeting House Road to Snake Pond Road	44,720.00
Water Street — Route 130, Morse Road to Shawme	6,174.00
Jones Lane — Route 6A to Culvert	3,542.00
Kiah's Way — Section of Mill Road	7,000.00
Atkins Road — (Connection Section)	2,034.00
Sidewalk Repairs — section of Main Street & School Street	7,500.00
Jarves Street — Curb and Paving	3,535.00
Shawme Road	3,000.00
Mill Road	2,500.00
Jones Lane — Culvert	2,000.00
Sandwich Fire Station Building Study Committee	1,000.00
Bourne Shellfish Program	1,000.00
Engineering Study — Town Neck	25,000.00
Chipman Road Layout	5.00
Crowell Road Layout	5.00
Kiah's Way Layout	5.00
Herring Road Layout	5.00
Lakewood Drive Layout	5.00
Moody Drive Layout	5.00
Freedom and Friendly Roads Layout	5.00



Highway Department Pickup Truck	3,000.00
Police Officers' Pay Adjustment — Communication Center	2,500.00
Removal of Dead Elms	5,000.00
Ice Hockey Program	3,000.00
Dog Kennel Construction	12,800.00
Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee	1,500.00
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	\$4,404,902.54

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### FROM AVAILABLE FUNDS

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Reserve Fund — Overlay Surplus	\$50,000.00
Restoration Income — 1972	16,566.45
Marina Income — 1972	11,177.83
Library State Reimbursement — 1972	1,964.33
Dog Fund — 1972	1,643.91
Repairs to Tennis Court — Sch. Portable Classroom	10,000.00
Highways — Chapter 81 — Surplus Revenue	21,841.00
Peebles Land Purchase — Surplus Revenue	30,000.00
Library Remodeling — Revenue Sharing	5,450.00
Police Station — Revenue Sharing	100,000.00
Police Cruisers — Revenue Sharing	21,000.00
Highway Vacuum Sweeper — Revenue Sharing	30,000.00
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	\$299,643.52

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### AUTHORIZATION TO BORROW

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Purchase of Ryder Property	\$1,313,000.00
New School Construction	11,825,000.00
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	\$13,138,000.00

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### DISBURSEMENTS

For The Fiscal Year January 1, 1973 — June 30, 1974

Account	Amount
Legislative	\$513.74

Law	21,733.57
Certification of Notes	315.00
Finance Committee	549.31
Selectmen	36,839.02
Assessors	30,184.77
Town Accountant	12,324.00
Clerical — Selectmen, Assessors & Town Accountant	36,813.05
Treasurer	10,089.04
Tax Collector	17,449.64
Town Clerk	5,661.21
Clerical — Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk	34,868.13
Group Insurance	79,791.56
Election and Registration	10,832.13
Town Garage	8,823.84
Town Hall	8,902.62
Police Department	366,987.81
Communications Center	46,771.81
Fire Department	240,115.05
Forest Warden	2,472.83
Insect Pest Control	9,436.41
Dutch Elm Control	19,244.56
Tree Warden	9,450.08
Wire Inspector	3,180.00
Building Inspector	14,878.10
Woods Roads	688.00
Gas Inspector	2,214.70
Dog and Conservation Officer	15,060.14
Health and Sanitation	56,461.59
Public Health Nurse	45,630.38
Highways General	117,203.11
Highways — Chapter 81	29,782.00
Highways — Chapter 90 — Cotuit Rd.	500.00
Highways — Chapter 90 — Quaker Mtg. Hse. Rd.	110,423.54
Spring Hill Rd. Drainage	3,550.00
Plank Walk Repairs	23.67
Jones Lane Culvert	675.00
Sidewalk Repairs	3,835.20
Falmouth Rd. — Route 130	36,979.87
Phillips Rd.	2,039.24
Route 130 — Shawme to Morse Rd.	4,718.55
Jones Lane	3,122.42
Kiah's Way	4,637.93
Mill Road	2,500.00
Dale Terrace	300.00

Jarves St.	3,443.00
Street Sweeper — Revenue Sharing	29,471.85
School Construction	1,683,952.01
Clerk of Works	17,999.80
Fire and Police Building	6,610.00
Veterans' Services	73,688.03
School	1,832,819.29
School Lunch	91,118.89
School Athletic Fund	1,426.27
School — Public Law 874	29,930.30
Title I Project — P.L. 8910	11,090.00
Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School District	74,620.15
School — Title II — P.L. 8910	221.91
Library	68,289.63
Insurance Claims	8,797.54
Town Beaches and Parks	38,678.88
Engineering Department	47,395.26
Clark-Haddad Memorial Building	3,269.21
East Boat Basin Marina	21,210.78
Street Lights	19,046.62
Civil Defense	773.49
Planning Board	11,576.47
Appeal Board	1,939.23
Conservation Commission	17,546.46
Conservation Commission — Land Purchase	400.00
Historic District Commission	179.71
Sandwich Historical Commission	986.14
Hoxie House and Grist Mill Maintenance and Operation	27,513.00
Summer Recreation	40,059.30
Memorial Day	1,195.38
Public Entertainment	535.00
Town Advertising	984.00
Care of Town Clock	500.00
Christmas Lighting	1,124.80
Binding Town Records	642.55
Tax Title and Foreclosure Account	13,861.21
Propagation of Shellfish	1,818.98
Propagation of Fish and Game	223.10
Town Insurance Account	40,385.65
Directional and Street Signs	1,108.55
Fourth of July Celebration	2,500.00
Dog Kennel	13,738.00
Sandwich Fire Station Study Committee	1,000.00
Forestdale Fire Station Building Committee	1,466.12



Ahonen-Geary-Cahoon Property Purchase	100,100.00
School Building Committee	242,174.59
School — Portable Classrooms	93,996.76
Printing Town Reports and Warrants	9,406.16
Police Station Building Committee	214,130.46
Green Head Fly Control	844.00
Hydrant Rental	1,500.00
Mt. Hope Cemetery Wall	8,005.77
Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee	10,065.73
Bourne Shellfish Program	1,000.00
Landscape Advisory Committee	4,507.77
Repairs — Athletic Fields and Tennis Courts	24,150.00
Miscellaneous	750.00
Defining and Laying Out of Roads	1,290.00
Highway — Pickup Truck Purchase	3,000.00
Police Cruisers	21,800.00
Engineering Study — Sandwich Beach Shores	23,000.00
County Land Damages	9,840.33
Brush-Breaker Tanker Conversion	7,502.03
Aerial Spray	5,200.00
Police Station Generator Purchase	5,000.00
Aerial Ladder Truck Purchase	11,400.00
Cemeteries	6,330.01
Peebles Property Purchase	60,000.00
Debt Payments	925,000.00
Interest — Temporary Loans	13,856.88
Interest — School Loans	31,675.00
Temporary School Loan	1,100,000.00
Temporary School Loan Interest	11,412.77
Council on Aging	5,723.68
Mental Health Association	1,291.05

## Refunds:

1971 Excise Taxes	\$68.00
1972 Excise Taxes	2,263.12
1973 Excise Taxes	2,789.07
1974 Excise Taxes	197.33
1972 Personal Property Taxes	42.75
1973 Personal Property Taxes	99.00
1972 Real Estate Taxes	698.75
1973 Real Estate Taxes	5,362.66
Interest on Taxes	7.57
Tax Collector Fee	1.00
Sandwich Water District	1,843.90
Teachers Retirement Whldgs.	50.63

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13,423.78



Federal Tax Withholdings	361,894.84
State Tax Withholdings	95,071.71
Group Insurance Withholdings	35,908.33
Teachers Disability Insurance Withholdings	516.02
Teachers Retirement Withholdings	48,100.70
Teachers Annuity Withholdings	8,652.02
Teachers Association Dues Withholdings	3,497.00
County Retirement Withholdings	52,067.42
Police — Special Detail	16,317.00
Sale of Dogs	30.00
Proceeds Dog Licenses	5,783.35
Proceeds Sporting Licenses	7,506.25
Town Clerk's Fees	3,438.65
Tax Collector's Fees	1,492.00
Barnstable County Retirement	65,491.59
State Parks and Reservations	13,576.96
Veterans District Assessment	4,040.44
Air Pollution	91.58
Mosquito Control	13,500.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	560.25
Mary Baker Scholarship Fund	2,700.00
Samuel M. Beale, Jr. Fund	283.44
Freeman Nursing Fund	54.70
Raymond Hamblin Boy Scout Fund	170.00
Belcher Scholarship Fund	200.00
Eaton Fund	210.17
Van Buskirk Scholarship Fund	4,000.00
To Establish Perpetual Care Accounts:	
Benoit PC Fund	\$200.00
Winsor PC Fund	250.00
Fitz-Harlow PC Fund	240.00
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	690.00
Revenue Sharing Proceeds	203,075.00
Tax Reimbursement — State Owned Land	792,117.11
Investment of Cash	1,684,456.00
State Sales Tax Collections	11.16
County Tax	152,313.08
Health Insurance	430.06
Sandwich Water District Collections	317,000.38
North Sagamore Water District	9,008.64
Marblehead Veteran Retirement Allowance	1,177.82
Somerville Retirement Allowance	2,375.49
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	\$12,588,895.11

## RECEIPTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR

January 1, 1973 — June 30, 1974

**Taxes:**

Prior Years:	\$99,946.19	
Current — Levy of 1973-1974		
Personal	120,788.05	
Real	3,296,963.51	
		<u>\$3,517,697.75</u>

**Motor Vehicles and Trailer:**

Prior Years	\$103,438.14	
Current — Levy of 1973-1974	214,830.93	
		<u>318,269.07</u>

Machinery Excise	123.50
Interest on Taxes	10,124.00
Police — Special Detail	16,293.00
Federal Tax Withholdings	358,458.11
State Tax Withholdings	95,071.71
Group Insurance Withholdings	35,908.89
Teachers' Disability Insurance	516.02
Teachers' Annuity Withholdings	8,610.02
Teachers' Retirement Withholdings	57,120.47
County Retirement Withholdings	52,067.42
Teachers' Association Dues	3,497.00
Proceeds Dog Licenses	5,795.30
Proceeds Sporting Licenses	7,506.25
Town Clerk's Fees	3,439.00
Tax Collector's Fees	1,493.00
1972 Dog Fund	1,643.91
1973 Dog Fund	1,842.45

**State:**

Health Insurance	\$110.38	
Veterans Services	19,812.09	
Bureau Tax Reimbursements	1,896.50	
Sandy Neck Purchase	32,250.00	
Old Harbor Purchase	46,625.00	
Council on Aging	1,500.00	
Dept. Nat'l. Resources	1,843.90	
		<u>104,037.87</u>

## State Aid to Highways:

Chapter 81	\$43,463.00	
Chapter 90	112,155.45	
Section 20	36,958.00	
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## County Aid to Highways:

Chapter 90		9,474.34
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## Federal Grants:

Federal Safety (Breathalyzer)	\$975.00	
Medicare Reimbursements	8,640.51	
School — Public Law 874	36,999.40	
School — Title I Program	17,554.00	
School — Title II Program	2,267.07	
Revenue Sharing	160,371.00	
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## School Lunch Receipts:

School	\$53,465.12	
State	41,218.64	
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## School Athletic Fund

1,427.00

## Road Machinery Account

1,044.87

## State Grants:

School Construction	\$26,466.36	
Loss of Taxes	792,117.11	
Lottery	5,179.10	
Beano	169.59	
Library Aid	3,929.26	
Census Reimbursement	1,025.25	
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## Division of Tuition:

School Transportation	\$25,811.52	
Vocational Education Outside		
School Transportation	6,181.00	
School Aid —		
Chapters 69, 70, 71, 74	191,928.11	
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## Bourne School Transportation

1,380.00

## Selectmen's Licenses and Permits:

Amusement	\$65.00
Sunday Entertainment	211.00

Common Victualers	160.00	
Liquor	7,928.00	
Junk Dealers	50.00	
Auto Dealer	25.00	
Lodging House	2.00	
Public Weighers	5.00	
Auctioneers	4.00	
Taxi Cab	2.00	
Shellfish	270.00	
Fuel Storage	415.00	
Raffle, Bazaar	130.00	
Pool Table	48.00	
Motor Vehicle License (closed door)	10.00	
Funeral Director	4.00	
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		9,329.00
Refund — Tax Title Foreclosure	\$28.78	
Refund — Library	180.87	
Refund — School Dept.	1,421.32	
Refund — Treasurer	339.22	
Refund — Restoration M & O	1,144.74	
Refund — Overpayment 1973		
Real Estate Tax	350.00	
Refund — Tax Collector	15.24	
Refund — Appeals	33.44	
Refund — Group Insurance	384.98	
Refund — Temporary Loan Interest	669.27	
Refund — Cape Cod Mental Health	.05	
Refund — Assessors	15.00	
Refund — Finance Committee	20.00	
Refund — Council on Aging	70.00	
Refund — Town Hall	31.60	
Refund — Baker Scholarship	400.00	
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		5,104.51
Sandwich Water Dist. Collections	\$315,519.04	
No. Sagamore Water Dist. Collections	9,008.64	
Ambulance Service	1,060.00	
Contributions — Sandwich Hist. Comm.	21.57	
Sale of Abandoned Property	1.00	
Tailings	50.49	
Machinery Basis	19.26	
Court Fines	3,313.00	
Care of Dogs	210.00	
Prepaid Advertising	2,100.58	



Trailer Coach Park	7,242.00
Town Maps and Zoning Booklets	761.79
Sub-Division Regulations	35.45
Park — Special Account	4,270.00
Nursing Fees	12,539.79
Building Permits	5,864.00
Plumbing Permits	6,718.00
Wire Inspector's Fees	2,341.00
Gas Inspector	144.00
Engineering — Assessors Maps	424.16
Engineering Inspector's Fees	1,785.00
Certificates of Municipal Liens	1,356.00
Sale of Dogs	30.00
Board of Health	1,982.00
Telephone Booth Income	194.50
Street and Voting Lists	54.00
Reimbursements —	
Federal Income Tax Account	3,436.73
Reimbursement — Planning Board	8.43
Reimbursement — Court Payment	3.53
Reimbursement — Park Dept.	202.62
Reimbursement — Fire Dept.	70.80
Reimbursement — Certification of Notes	118.00
Reimbursement — Sandwich Hist. Comm.	16.50
Reimbursement — Veterans Services	859.00
Reimbursement — Street Signs	417.76
Reimbursement — Police	725.81
Reimbursement — Advisory Landscape	65.00
Reimbursement — Recreation	31.50
Dog Officer Fees	557.00
Police — Photostatic Copies	553.00
Police — Liquor ID's	23.00
Police — Fire Arms — Permits	1,975.00
Police — Mileage Reimbursement	15.50
Contractor Permits for Dump Use	130.00
Beach Parking Fees	449.00
Lease — Town Land	100.00
Sales Tax Collection	11.16
Business Certificates	24.00
Concrete Pipe Anti-Trust	33.93
Estab. VanBuskirk Scholarship Fund	4,000.00
Estab. Benoit Perpetual Care Fund	200.00
Estab. Winsor Perpetual Care Fund	250.00
Restoration Income	16,506.85

Gift in Lieu of Taxes	700.00	
Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	800,000.00	
Insurance Claims	9,438.33	
Tax Title Redemption	603.04	
Custodial Fees	350.97	
Library Fines	1,074.59	
Temporary Loan Proceeds —		
School Construction	3,300,000.00	
Marina Income	9,404.78	
Withdrawals — Savings Account	1,350,000.00	
Withdrawals — Revenue Sharing	298,820.62	
Drug Anti Trust Reimbursement	83.09	
Rubbish Fines	40.00	
Bookkeeping Fees	51.90	
Sale of Beach Stickers	2,468.00	
Interest — Treasury Bills	15,544.00	
Tax Collector Charges	7.06	
Treasury Bill Maturity	784,456.00	
Thornton Burgess Income	5,000.00	
Schmelzer Security Deposit	300.00	
Clerk of Works	20,000.00	
Use of Copy Machine	4.00	
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## Trust Fund Income:

Library	\$23,660.67	
Eaton Fund	254.07	
Hamblin Boy Scout Fund	170.00	
Samuel Beale, Jr. Fund	319.19	
Hannah B. Belcher Fund	200.00	
Baker Scholarship Fund	2,500.00	
Freeman Nursing Fund	63.75	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	1,205.07	
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		\$13,228,697.47

### CLASSIFICATION OF ACCOUNTS LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Moderator	\$150.00	
Clerical	243.75	
Posting Warrants	40.00	
Meeting Expense	59.99	
Moderator Assistant	20.00	
To Revenue	236.26	
	<hr/>	\$750.00
Appropriation		\$750.00

### LAW DEPARTMENT

Legal Fees and Charges		\$21,733.57
Appropriation	\$20,000.00	
Reserve	1,733.57	
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### CERTIFICATION OF NOTES

Certification of Notes	\$315.00	
To Revenue	803.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,118.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Refunds	118.00	
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### FINANCE COMMITTEE

Secretary to Finance Committee	\$380.00	
Dues	80.00	
Supplies	89.31	
To Revenue	220.69	
	<hr/>	\$770.00
Appropriation	\$750.00	
Refund	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$770.00

### SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT

Selectmen's Salaries	\$27,204.00	
Office Supplies	2,164.01	
Telephone	1,134.57	
Advertising	475.27	
Recording Fees	79.48	
Meeting Expense	218.85	
Equipment	1,838.76	
Equipment Repairs	145.50	
Dues	305.00	

Police at Hearings	180.00	
Signs	344.27	
Supplies	376.76	
Appraisals	780.00	
Legal Fees	1,592.55	
To Revenue	128.32	
	<hr/>	\$36,986.00
Appropriation	\$35,354.00	
Reserve	1,632.00	
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#### ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT

Assessors' Salaries	\$5,112.00	
Office Supplies	1,577.34	
Equipment	881.40	
Equipment Repairs	80.88	
Telephone	1,133.39	
Abstracts and Maps	1,786.67	
Assessing Services	17,965.42	
Computer Service	1,470.11	
Meeting Expense	79.90	
Dues	51.00	
Mileage	28.00	
To Revenue	810.89	
	<hr/>	\$30,977.00
Appropriation	\$30,962.00	
Refund	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$30,977.00

#### TOWN ACCOUNTANT CLERK TO THE SELECTMEN AND ASSESSORS

Salary	\$12,324.00	
To Revenue	208.00	
	<hr/>	\$12,532.00
Appropriation		\$12,532.00

#### CLERICAL — SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS, ACCOUNTANT

Clerical Salary and Wages	\$36,813.05	
To Revenue	2,856.95	
	<hr/>	\$39,670.00
Appropriation		\$39,670.00

#### TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT

Treasurer's Salary	\$5,608.50
Office Supplies	1,444.55



Envelopes and Check Blanks	1,535.29	
Telephone	181.25	
Meeting Expense	27.70	
Bond Insurance	319.70	
Equipment	771.25	
Equipment Repair	200.80	
To Revenue	18.24	
	<hr/>	\$10,107.28

Appropriation	\$9,348.06	
Refunds	15.22	
Reimbursements (checks)	324.00	
Reserve	420.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,107.28

#### TAX COLLECTOR'S DEPARTMENT

Tax Collector's Salary	\$7,992.00	
Deputy Collector	100.00	
Office Supplies & Postage	2,699.45	
Telephone	277.42	
Recording	30.48	
Bond	261.00	
Advertising	20.02	
Computer Service	3,264.38	
Equipment	445.30	
Tax Bills and Envelopes	2,309.70	
Meeting Expense	11.00	
Lien Fees	40.89	
To Revenue	3.47	
	<hr/>	\$17,455.11

Appropriation	\$17,439.87	
Refund	15.24	
	<hr/>	\$17,455.11

#### TOWN CLERK

Town Clerk's Salary	\$2,548.50	
Office Supplies	1,919.63	
Telephone	115.78	
Fees	157.00	
Bond	10.00	
Advertising	930.30	
To Revenue	13.21	
	<hr/>	\$5,694.42
Appropriation		\$5,694.42

**CLERICAL — TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR,  
TOWN CLERK**

Salary and Wages	\$34,868.13	
To Revenue	1,551.21	
	<hr/>	\$36,419.34
Appropriation		\$36,419.34

**TOWN GARAGE**

Fuel	\$3,491.12	
Light and Power	1,082.84	
Supplies	544.95	
Maintenance	3,704.93	
To Revenue	1,436.16	
	<hr/>	\$10,260.00
Appropriation		\$10,260.00

**TOWN HALL**

Janitor	\$1,170.00	
Fuel	1,878.42	
Light and Power	1,005.70	
Supplies	1,457.95	
Maintenance	1,864.72	
Repairs	505.83	
To Revenue	2,408.98	
	<hr/>	\$10,291.60
Appropriation	\$10,260.00	
Refunds	31.60	
	<hr/>	\$10,291.60

**ELECTION AND REGISTRATION**

Registrars	\$1,549.00	
Election Officers	1,443.81	
Checkers at Town Meeting	488.24	
Supplies	986.25	
Equipment	985.00	
Street Listing	3,717.93	
Advertising	137.57	
Police	1,262.78	
Fire	102.00	
Janitor	110.00	
Telephone	27.55	
To Revenue	4.87	
	<hr/>	\$10,815.00
Appropriation	\$9,515.00	
Reserve	1,300.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,815.00

**FIRE AND POLICE BUILDING****Sandwich Station**

Jan. 1, 1973 — June 30, 1973 (6 mos. only)

Fuel	\$958.11
Light and Power	750.45
Maintenance	203.97
Repairs	2,502.40
Supplies	300.36
Equipment	34.38
Landscaping	656.90

**East Sandwich Fire Station**

Fuel	459.35
Lights	259.35
Snow Removal	20.00

**Forestdale Fire Station**

Fuel	\$242.90
Lights	130.00
Maintenance Repairs	76.83
Snow Removal	15.00

Appropriation

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\$6,610.00

\$6,610.00

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Salaries	\$219,558.30
Special Police	26,702.97
Court Time	16,537.53
Overtime	15,447.29
Gas & Oil	23,179.36
Tires	4,164.00
Car Equipment & Repairs	8,711.54
Supplies	4,220.83
Telephone	4,119.69
Equipment	6,657.86
Education	839.60
Uniform	8,395.35
Mileage & Meals	1,121.03
Insurance	8,795.52
Special Investigation	4,393.61
School Guard	2,858.25
Matron	61.20
Prosecutor	2,600.00
Landscaping	1,906.20

Dues & Meeting Expense	411.25
Advertising	110.64
Box Rent	8.80

#### Building Expense

July 1, 1973 — June 30, 1974

Utilities	1,567.42	
Janitor	3,300.00	
Fuel	698.51	
Building Repairs & Maintenance	403.59	
Supplies	289.47	
Snow Plowing	210.00	
To Revenue	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$367,271.81
Appropriation	\$360,866.00	
Refunds	725.81	
Reserve	4,000.00	
Transfer from Prosecutor Acct.	1,680.00	
	<hr/>	\$367,271.81

#### POLICE — SPECIAL OUTSIDE DETAIL

Officers Salaries	\$16,317.00
Refunds	\$16,317.00

#### COMMUNICATIONS CENTER

Salaries	\$44,767.97	
Equipment	59.29	
Supplies	334.26	
Transition of Communication Center to Police Station	902.80	
Utilities	464.44	
Repairs	189.05	
Miscellaneous	54.00	
To Revenue	54.51	
	<hr/>	\$46,826.32
Appropriation		\$46,826.32

#### POLICE PROSECUTOR

Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,680.00
Transfer to Police Account	\$1,680.00

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

Salaries	\$162,610.73
Telephone	2,773.76
Office Supplies	1,020.18



Fire Supplies	1,783.00
Gas & Oil	4,039.98
Equipment & Repairs	7,633.73
Radio Repairs	1,481.15
Truck Repairs	3,207.57
Insurance	5,846.09
Tires	667.82
Uniforms & Clothing	3,259.93
Meeting Expenses	375.90
Call Dept., Special Duty Standby	27,947.42
Ambulance & First Aid Supplies	609.77
Fire Training Courses	950.59
Dues	83.00
Union Negotiation	440.00
Advertising	82.90
Exam Fees	1,250.00

### **Building Maintenance — Sandwich Station**

July 1, 1973 — June 30, 1974

Utilities	3,903.15
Maintenance	2,841.53
Supplies	1,435.51
Equipment	1,132.84

### **East Sandwich Station**

Utilities	1,253.14
Maintenance	1,191.00

### **Forestdale Station**

Utilities	1,179.36
Maintenance	1,115.00
To Revenue	320.15

\$240,435.20

Appropriation	\$237,297.00
Refunds	70.80
Reserve	3,067.40

\$240,435.20

### **FOREST WARDEN**

Gas and Oil	\$395.82
Supplies	147.43
Equipment	195.16
Truck Repairs	1,719.42
Rubbish Collection	15.00
To Revenue	2.17

\$2,475.00

Appropriation \$2,475.00

**INSECT PEST CONTROL**

Superintendent	\$2,352.00	
Labor	4,782.36	
Gas and Oil	31.35	
Spray Material	2,200.56	
Supplies	26.48	
Truck Repair	33.74	
Dues	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,436.49
Appropriation	\$9,400.00	
Reserve	36.49	
	<hr/>	\$9,436.49

**DUTCH ELM CONTROL**

Superintendent	\$4,608.00	
Labor	4,314.00	
Removal of dead elms and tree trimming	9,305.62	
Gas and Oil	98.46	
Spray Material	853.14	
Meeting Expense	65.34	
To Revenue	5.44	
	<hr/>	\$19,250.00
Appropriation		\$19,250.00

**TREE WARDEN**

Superintendent's Salary	\$2,250.00	
Labor	282.96	
Supplies	295.79	
Gas and Oil	526.63	
Repairs	38.97	
Tree Trimming and Removal	4,792.58	
Purchase of Trees	315.00	
Dues	23.00	
Insurance	572.14	
Spray Material	302.50	
Meeting Expense	50.43	
	<hr/>	\$9,450.00
Appropriation		\$9,450.00

**WIRE INSPECTOR**

Salary	\$3,000.00	
Expenses	140.50	
Supplies	39.50	
	<hr/>	\$3,180.00
Appropriation		\$3,180.00

**BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Inspector Salary	\$12,552.50	
Deputy Inspector	480.00	
Supplies	286.98	
Expenses	1,558.62	
	<hr/>	\$14,878.10
Appropriation	\$14,615.75	
Reserve	262.35	
	<hr/>	\$14,878.10

**GAS INSPECTOR**

Inspector's Salary	\$2,138.00	
Mileage	43.70	
Supplies	33.00	
To Revenue	900.30	
	<hr/>	\$3,115.00
Appropriation		\$3,115.00

**WOODS ROADS**

Superintendent	\$224.00	
Labor	464.00	
To Revenue	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$700.00
Appropriation		\$700.00

**DOG AND CONSERVATION OFFICER**

Salary	\$11,276.64	
Supplies	646.09	
Dog Care and Food	92.65	
Mileage	58.60	
Equipment and Equipment Repair	1,412.06	
Clothing	78.09	
Gas and Oil	909.59	
Truck Repair	726.58	
Advertising	43.68	
Insurance	581.32	
Court Expense	15.26	
Utilities	157.58	
To Revenue	209.69	
	<hr/>	\$16,207.83
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,342.83	
Appropriation	14,865.00	
	<hr/>	\$16,207.83

**HEALTH AND SANITATION**

Board Salaries	\$3,162.00	
Board of Health Agent's Salary	1,425.00	
Dump Caretaker's Salaries	15,615.43	
Utilities	888.83	
Supplies	1,204.95	
Dump Maintenance	17,686.08	
Plumbing Inspector Salary	10,470.00	
Mileage	1,141.99	
Sanitary Inspector Salary	3,940.20	
Sanitary Inspector's Meeting Expense	41.65	
Advertising	94.56	
Dues	70.90	
Inspector of Animals & Slaughtering	200.00	
Animal Inspector Expenses	520.00	
To Revenue	14,763.41	
	<hr/>	\$71,225.00
Appropriation		\$71,225.00

**PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE**

Salary	\$13,859.00	
Mileage	1,103.70	
Clerical	7,479.50	
Telephone	731.73	
Telephone Ans. Service	403.34	
Relief Nurse	2,688.62	
Office Supplies	707.42	
Medical Supplies	355.50	
Rent	2,394.00	
Light and Power	346.43	
Insurance	207.75	
Homemaker Service	13,786.00	
Therapy Service	1,164.00	
Maintenance	222.34	
Dues	157.00	
Meeting Expense	24.05	
To Revenue	183.92	
	<hr/>	\$45,814.30
Appropriation	\$42,314.30	
Reserve	3,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$45,814.30

**HIGHWAYS — GENERAL**

Surveyor's Salary	\$15,886.00
Labor	36,177.50



Truck Repair	3,950.92
Gas & Oil	4,647.59
Supplies	4,129.91
Tires	809.49
Equipment	2,096.79
Equipment Repair	1,106.55
Equipment Rental	2,686.65
Bulldozer Loader	506.00
Catch Basin Cleaning	4,002.21
Gravel, Loam	4,757.00
Paving	6,091.40
White Lines and Signs	2,270.00
Patch	114.00
Granite Curbing	430.00
Mowing	525.00
Insurance	4,331.32
Advertising	76.52
Telephone	361.71

**(Snow - Ice Control)**

Labor	\$9,690.35	
Truck	5,644.50	
Salt	3,402.90	
Equipment	448.00	
Repairs	68.80	
Sand	1,392.00	
Repairs to Damaged Garage Doors	1,600.00	
To Revenue	5,613.84	
	<hr/>	\$122,816.95
Appropriation	\$122,000.00	
Reserve	816.95	
	<hr/>	\$122,816.95

**HIGHWAYS — CHAPTER 81**

Labor	\$5,459.00	
Truck	1,773.87	
Asphalt Road, Oil	21,604.09	
Sand	945.04	
To Revenue	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$29,783.00
Appropriation		\$29,783.00

**HIGHWAYS — CHAPTER 90**  
**(Cotuit Road)**

Loam and Seeding	\$500.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	632.28	
	<hr/>	\$1,132.28
Balance January 1, 1973		\$1,132.28

**HIGHWAYS — CHAPTER 90**  
**(Quaker Meeting House Road)**

Appropriation May 6, 1974		\$90,613.00
Balance June 30, 1974		\$90,613.00
Soil Testing	\$72.00	
Contract #27621	110,351.54	
Balance June 30, 1974	23,999.47	
	<hr/>	\$134,423.01
Balance January 1, 1973	\$85,500.00	
Appropriation	20,500.00	
Reimbursements (State & County)	28,423.01	
	<hr/>	\$134,423.01

**DALE TERRACE**

Drainage Work	\$300.00
Reimbursement (Developer)	\$300.00

**CHASE'S POINT ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$838.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$838.00

**GROVE STREET AND ACADEMY LANE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$1,200.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,200.00

**TYLER DRIVE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$666.48
Balance January 1, 1973	\$666.48

**KNOTT AVENUE — DRAINAGE**

Transferred to Main St. Drainage	\$1,500.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	868.10	
	<hr/>	\$2,368.10
Balance January 1, 1973		\$2,368.10

**SNAKE POND — PAVING**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$1,442.02
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,442.02

**MAIN STREET — DRAINAGE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$1,500.00
Transferred from Knott Ave Drainage 5/6/74	\$1,500.00

**MORSE ROAD AND WATER STREET**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$250.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$250.00

**PLOUGHED NECK ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$8,097.80
Balance January 1, 1973	\$8,097.80

**POPPLE BOTTOM ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$2,698.29
Balance January 1, 1973	\$2,698.29

**EAST SANDWICH BEACH PARKING AREA**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$1,800.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,800.00

**PLANK WALK REPAIRS**

Labor	\$12.74	
Materials	10.93	
Balance June 30, 1974	776.88	
	<hr/>	\$800.55
Balance January 1, 1973		\$800.55

**SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$6,752.10
Balance January 1, 1973	\$6,752.10

**SIDEWALK REPAIRS — MAIN AND SCHOOL STREET**

Labor	\$3,835.20	
Balance June 30, 1974	3,664.80	
	<hr/>	\$7,500.00
Appropriation		\$7,500.00

**PINE STREET**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$11,620.50
Balance January 1, 1973	\$11,620.50

**SPRING HILL ROAD — DRAINAGE**

Labor	\$1,266.26	
Paving	1,356.82	
Catch Basins	926.92	
	<hr/>	\$3,550.00
Balance January 1, 1973		\$3,550.00

**MILL ROAD (OFF OLD COUNTY ROAD)**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$500.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$500.00

**PHILLIPS ROAD**

Paving	\$2,039.24	
Balance June 30, 1974	660.76	
	<hr/>	\$2,700.00
Balance January 1, 1973		\$2,700.00

**WATER STREET — GRADING**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$1,000.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,000.00

**MILL ROAD**

Paving	\$2,500.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	787.81	
	<hr/>	\$3,287.81
Balance January 1, 1973		\$3,287.81

**JARVES STREET**

Paving	\$3,443.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	92.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,535.00
Appropriation		\$3,535.00

**ATKINS ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$2,034.00
Appropriation	\$2,034.00

**FALMOUTH ROAD — ROUTE 130**

Labor	\$2,188.80	
Paving	34,791.07	
Balance June 30, 1974	7,740.13	
	<hr/>	\$44,720.00
Appropriation		\$44,720.00

**KIAH'S WAY**

Paving	\$4,637.93	
Balance June 30, 1974	2,362.07	
	<hr/>	\$7,000.00
Appropriation		\$7,000.00

**JONES LANE**

Paving	\$3,122.42	
Balance June 30, 1974	419.58	
	<hr/>	\$3,542.00
Balance January 1, 1973		\$3,542.00



**JONES LANE CULVERT**

Labor	\$675.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	1,325.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,000.00
Appropriation		\$2,000.00

**WATER STREET — SHAWME TO MORSE ROAD**

Paving	\$4,718.55	
Balance June 30, 1974	1,455.45	
	<hr/>	\$6,174.00
Appropriation		\$6,174.00

**SHAWME ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$3,000.00
Appropriation	\$3,000.00

**MILL ROAD**

(South of Belt Line)

Balance June 30, 1974	\$2,500.00
Appropriation	\$2,500.00

**VETERANS SERVICES**

Cash Grants	\$21,202.90	
Medical	49,105.00	
Fuel	1,383.20	
Miscellaneous	1,996.93	
To Revenue	2,170.97	
	<hr/>	\$75,859.00
Appropriation	\$60,000.00	
Refunds	859.00	
Reserve	15,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$75,859.00

**SCHOOL**

Administration	\$53,534.88	
Instruction	1,342,331.72	
Other School Services	179,144.67	
Operation, Maintenance of Plant	189,908.60	
New Equipment, Acquisition of Fixed Assets, Programs, Other Dist.	48,590.20	
Private Schools	4,261.14	
Community Service	5,782.88	
Fixed Charges	6,700.00	
All Others	2,565.20	
To Revenue	.03	
	<hr/>	\$1,832,819.32

Appropriation	\$1,831,398.00	
Refunds	1,421.32	
	<hr/>	\$1,832,819.32

**SCHOOL LUNCH**

Salaries	\$32,197.14	
Groceries	44,972.02	
Milk	13,526.86	
Transportation	422.87	
Balance June 30, 1974	4,253.39	
	<hr/>	\$95,372.28
Balance January 1, 1973	\$688.52	
School Receipts	55,194.72	
State Receipts	39,488.97	
	<hr/>	\$95,372.28

**SCHOOL ATHLETIC FUND**

Officials	\$937.00	
Time Scorers	487.50	
Refreshments	1.77	
Balance June 30, 1974	1.75	
	<hr/>	\$1,428.02
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1.02	
Receipts	1,427.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,428.02

**SCHOOL PUBLIC LAW 874**

Administration	\$1,156.12	
Instruction	4,850.71	
Other School Activities	11,987.29	
Operation & Maintenance of Plant	5,241.05	
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	6,405.13	
Programs, Other District, Private Schools	90.00	
Fixed Charges	200.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	41,896.02	
	<hr/>	\$71,826.32
Balance January 1, 1973	\$34,826.92	
Federal Receipts	36,983.00	
Refund	16.40	
	<hr/>	\$71,826.32

**SCHOOL — TITLE V**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$24.25
Balance January 1, 1973	\$24.25

**SCHOOL TITLE II — P.L. 89-10**

Disbursements	\$1,077.79	
Balance June 30, 1974	1,214.07	
	<hr/>	\$2,291.86
Balance January 1, 1973	\$24.79	
State Receipts	2,267.07	
	<hr/>	\$2,291.86

**SCHOOL TITLE I**

Disbursements	\$10,234.12	
Balance June 30, 1974	7,319.88	
	<hr/>	\$17,554.00
State Receipts		\$17,554.00

**UPPER CAPE COD REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

1973-1974 Assessments	\$74,620.15
Appropriation	\$74,620.15

**LIBRARY**

Salaries	\$32,952.35	
Janitor	3,400.67	
Supplies	1,353.23	
Books	10,571.45	
Periodicals	1,213.54	
Equipment	581.01	
Clerical	495.00	
Accounting	120.00	
Insurance	31.00	
Maintenance	1,830.43	
Repairs	1,679.00	
Roof Repairs	2,500.00	
Fuel	1,913.60	
Lights	2,722.93	
Dues	20.00	
Water	45.00	
Telephone	412.06	
Snow Removal	56.50	
Landscaping	876.50	
Advertising	35.96	
Box and Safe Rental	29.40	
Library Renovations	5,450.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	582.80	
	<hr/>	\$68,872.43
Appropriation	\$34,000.00	
Transferred from Revenue Sharing	5,450.00	

Balance January 1, 1973	7.72	
Dog Fund	1,643.91	
State Aid	3,929.26	
Refunds	180.87	
Income	23,660.67	
	<hr/>	\$68,872.43

**MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT**

Seedlings — Quaker Meeting Hse. Rd.	\$310.00	
Repairs to Forestdale School	440.00	
	<hr/>	\$750.00
Appropriation		\$750.00

**PARK**

Foreman's Salary	\$11,912.00	
Janitor	578.72	
Labor	12,236.50	
Truck & Equipment Maintenance	1,396.98	
Gas & Oil	1,257.22	
Light & Power	416.02	
Water	90.00	
Supplies	2,785.53	
Equipment	271.15	
Maintenance & Repairs	2,101.73	
Insurance	366.86	
Fuel	86.54	
Meeting Expense	106.00	
Telephone	508.25	
Property Repairs	1,643.63	
Demolition of House at Snake Pond	774.00	
To Revenue	493.87	
	<hr/>	\$37,025.00
Appropriation	\$36,827.00	
Refunds	198.00	
	<hr/>	\$37,025.00

**PARK — SPECIAL ACCOUNT**

Labor	\$2,364.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	1,906.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,270.00
State Receipts		\$4,270.00

**ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT**

Salary	\$26,350.00
Labor	15,367.60



Supplies	2,104.96	
Equipment	537.20	
Equipment Repairs	157.70	
Telephone	729.68	
Gas & Oil	1,135.61	
Tires	78.02	
Meeting Expense	60.09	
Mileage	146.40	
Car Repairs	143.35	
Insurance	330.99	
EEA Assessment	250.00	
Recording	3.66	
	<hr/>	\$47,395.26
Appropriation	\$47,294.00	
Reserve	101.26	
	<hr/>	\$47,395.26

#### EAST BOAT BASIN MARINA

Materials for Building Docks & Floats	\$8,806.00	
Dredging Marina	3,000.00	
E.T. Moffitt — Capital Improvement	9,404.78	
Balance June 30, 1974	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$21,710.78
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,128.17	
Transferred from 1972 Income	11,177.83	
Transferred from 1973 Income	9,404.78	
	<hr/>	\$21,710.78

#### CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING

Janitor	\$260.00	
Fuel	1,215.49	
Light & Power	285.24	
Water	45.00	
Supplies	31.02	
Repairs	197.60	
Maintenance	1,170.86	
Rubbish Removal	64.00	
To Revenue	90.79	
	<hr/>	\$3,360.00
Appropriation		\$3,360.00

#### STREET LIGHTS

Street Lights for 1973	\$19,046.62	
To Revenue	953.38	
	<hr/>	\$20,000.00
Appropriation		\$20,000.00

**CIVIL DEFENSE**

Telephone	367.54	
Mileage	68.50	
Supplies	52.00	
Surplus Property	40.50	
Equipment	235.95	
Expenses	3.50	
Box Rent	5.50	
To Revenue	390.60	
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		\$1,164.09
Balance January 1, 1973	\$216.09	
Appropriation	948.00	
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		\$1,164.09

**PLANNING BOARD**

Clerical	\$5,348.30	
Advertising	885.48	
Supplies	510.47	
Meeting Expense	49.05	
Professional Services (Philip Herr Associates)	4,500.00	
Police	110.00	
Dues	45.00	
Equipment (Tape Recorder and Cassettes)	128.17	
To Revenue	657.53	
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		\$12,234.00
Appropriation		\$12,234.00

**APPEALS BOARD**

Clerical	\$372.35	
Advertising	1,004.35	
Supplies	375.27	
Dues	15.00	
Meeting Expense	5.50	
Equipment (file cabinet)	166.76	
To Revenue	.04	
		<hr/>
		\$1,939.27
Appropriation	\$1,800.00	
Refund	33.44	
Reserve	105.83	
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		\$1,939.27

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

Labor	\$1,470.50	
Supplies	729.21	
Telephone	26.85	
Dues	50.00	
Plans & Recordings	8,126.01	
Police	40.00	
Advertising	56.62	
Gas	5.00	
Appraisals	4,150.00	
Clerical	90.75	
Equipment	1,326.27	
Briar Patch Improve. Parking Area	1,475.25	
To Revenue	18.54	
	<hr/>	\$17,565.00
Appropriation		\$17,565.00

**CONSERVATION — LAND PURCHASE**

Land Purchase	\$400.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	5,583.96	
	<hr/>	\$5,983.96
Balance January 1, 1973		\$5,983.96

**RESTORATION — MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION****(Hoxie House)**

Salaries	\$5,236.65
Lights & Power	428.15
Water	45.00
Telephone	429.97
Supplies	128.64
Advertising	1,407.32
Postcards & Booklets	1,430.07
Repairs	825.10
Maintenance	1,299.84
Loan of Furniture	250.00
Petty Cash	100.00
Arnold's Security Alarm	500.00
Tickets	411.56

**(Grist Mill)**

Salaries	6,706.85
Supplies	80.13
Advertising	923.34
Corn	2,860.10

Repairs	151.50	
Maintenance	2,736.01	
Bags & Recipes	1,278.31	
Postcards & Brochures	392.90	
Petty Cash	150.00	
Tickets	411.56	
Balance June 30, 1974	11,496.09	
	<hr/>	\$39,679.09
Balance January 1, 1973	\$161.05	
Transferred from 1972 Income	16,566.45	
Refunds	1,019.74	
Petty Cash Refund	125.00	
Reserve	5,300.00	
Transferred from 1973 Income	16,506.85	
	<hr/>	\$39,679.09

#### HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

Supplies	\$20.50	
Clerical	35.00	
Expense	9.76	
To Revenue	234.74	
	<hr/>	\$300.00
Appropriation		\$300.00

#### SANDWICH HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Clerical	\$69.13	
Photos & Maps	1,021.46	
Dues	10.00	
To Revenue	15.91	
	<hr/>	\$1,116.50
Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Refund	16.50	
Reserve	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,116.50

#### MEMORIAL DAY

Flags & Markers	\$485.38	
Band	710.00	
To Revenue	4.62	
	<hr/>	\$1,200.00
Appropriation		\$1,200.00



**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT**

Band	\$335.00	
August 12, 1973 Musical	200.00	
To Revenue	465.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
Appropriation		\$1,000.00

**TOWN ADVERTISING**

Advertising		\$1,000.00
Appropriation		\$1,000.00

**TOWN CLOCK**

Care of Town Clock		\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

**DEFINING AND LAYING OUT OF ROADS**

Gully Lane Layout		\$1,290.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$897.25	
Reserve	392.75	
	<hr/>	\$1,290.00

**CHRISTMAS LIGHTING**

Christmas Lighting	\$1,124.80	
To Revenue	1,375.20	
	<hr/>	\$2,500.00
Appropriation		\$2,500.00

**JETTIES**

Balance June 30, 1974		\$50,380.86
Balance January 1, 1973	\$23,880.86	
Appropriation	26,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$50,380.86

**BINDING TOWN RECORDS**

Binding Town Records	\$642.55	
To Revenue	144.25	
	<hr/>	\$786.80
Appropriation	\$500.00	
Reserve	286.80	
	<hr/>	\$786.80

**TAX TITLE FORECLOSURE ACCOUNT**

Tax Title Disbursements	\$13,861.21	
To Revenue	1,967.57	
	<hr/>	\$15,828.78

Appropriation	\$15,800.00	
Refunds	28.78	
	<hr/>	\$15,828.78

**RESERVE FUND**

Selectmen	\$1,632.00	
Aerial Spray	5,200.00	
Thornton Burgess	3,600.00	
Restoration M & O	5,300.00	
Fire	3,067.40	
Police	4,000.00	
Highways General	816.95	
Sandwich Historical Commission	100.00	
Binding Town Records	286.80	
Veterans	15,000.00	
Treasurer	420.00	
School Building Committee	500.60	
Printing Town Reports & Warrants	1,406.16	
Election & Registration	1,300.00	
Public Health Nurse	3,500.00	
Laws	1,733.57	
Appeals Board	105.83	
Building Inspector	262.35	
Defining & Laying Out of Roads	392.75	
Insect Pest Control	36.49	
Engineering	101.26	
To Overlay Surplus	1,237.84	
	<hr/>	\$50,000.00
Appropriation		\$50,000.00

**BOURNE SHELLFISH PROGRAM**

Shellfish Program	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

**PROPAGATION — SHELLFISH**

Constable	\$672.00	
Supplies	26.98	
Shellfish	1,050.00	
Dues	70.00	
To Revenue	37.13	
	<hr/>	\$1,856.11
Balance January 1, 1973	\$244.11	
Appropriation	1,612.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,856.11

**PROPAGATION — FISH AND GAME**

Propagation Fish & Game	\$223.10	
To Revenue	176.90	
	<hr/>	\$400.00
Appropriation		\$400.00

**TOWN INSURANCE**

Town Insurance	\$40,369.65	
To Revenue	3,630.35	
	<hr/>	\$44,000.00
Appropriation		\$44,000.00

**BRUSHING TOWN ROADS**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$81.78
Balance January 1, 1973	\$81.78

**DIRECTION AND STREET SIGNS**

Labor	\$135.00	
Materials	973.55	
Balance June 30, 1974	22.51	
	<hr/>	\$1,131.06
Balance January 1, 1973		\$1,131.06

**NUMBERING OF BUILDINGS**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.08
Balance January 1, 1973	\$5.08

**FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION**

Fourth of July Celebration	\$2,500.00
Appropriation	\$2,500.00

**PRINTING TOWN REPORTS AND WARRANTS**

Printing Town Reports and Warrants		\$9,406.16
Appropriation	\$8,000.00	
Reserve	1,406.16	
	<hr/>	\$9,406.16

**GREENHEAD FLY CONTROL**

Town's Share of County Program	\$844.00
Appropriation	\$844.00

**HYDRANT RENTAL**

Hydrant Rental	\$1,500.00
Appropriation	\$1,500.00

**RECREATION COMMITTEE**

Director's Salary	\$4,282.67	
Lifeguards	3,182.00	
Swim Instructors	2,190.00	
Swim & Rescue Equipment	50.66	
Little League	5,453.89	
Babe Ruth & Teener League	5,132.52	
Soccer Program	407.18	
Adult Softball	607.00	
Telephone	62.98	
Summer Staff Salaries	997.00	
Supplies	2,315.37	
Bowling	175.00	
Drama	1,581.01	
Janitors	539.65	
Police	744.58	
Advertising	25.46	
Ice Hockey Staff	1,266.00	
Ice Hockey Program	5,917.26	
Equipment	4,244.31	
Adult Education Classes	403.76	
Field Hockey	120.00	
Dues	7.00	
Barnstable Softball Assoc.	250.00	
Mileage	104.00	
To Revenue	467.70	
	<hr/>	\$40,527.00
Appropriation		\$40,527.00

**GULLY LANE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$5.00

**CLERK OF WORKS**

Elementary School	\$7,999.94	
Jr.-Sr. High School	9,999.86	
Balance June 30, 1974	2,000.20	
	<hr/>	\$20,000.00
Transferred from Sch. Const. Account		\$20,000.00

**SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION****(Elementary)**

Architectural Fees	\$101,341.47
Contractor	440,872.55



Test Holes	815.88
Advertising	304.29
Clerical	37.50
Insurance	3,169.00
Clerk of Works	20,000.00

**(Jr.-Sr. High)**

Architectural Fees	211,228.32
Contractor	900,600.00
Test Holes	1,422.26
Supplies	1,306.28
Advertising	16.96
Clerical	37.50
Engineering Consultants	2,785.00
Photographs	15.00
Balance June 30, 1974	506,070.22
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	\$2,190,022.23
Temp. Loans — Anticipation of Serial Loan	\$2,190,022.23

**SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Architect's Fees	\$210,000.00
Maps & Surveys	582.50
Clerical	300.00
Legal	25,491.98
Perc Tests	247.50
Soil Exploration	3,558.00
Advertising	1,235.08
Mileage & Meeting Expense	759.53
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	\$242,174.59
Balance January 1, 1973	\$241,673.99
Reserve	500.60
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	\$242,174.59

**SCHOOL BUILDING — PORTABLE CLASSROOMS**

Furniture, Supplies	\$11,394.98
Installing Lights	440.91
Sanitary System	5,895.87
Lease/Contract	76,215.00
Repairs	50.00
Transferred to Athletic Field Repairs	10,000.00
Balance June 30, 1974	59.07
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	\$104,055.83
Balance January 1, 1973	\$42,530.83
Appropriation	61,525.00
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	\$104,055.83

**SCHOOL LAND PURCHASE**  
(Quaker Meeting House Road)

Balance June 30, 1974	\$28,002.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$28,002.00

**REPAIRS — ATHLETIC FIELDS AND TENNIS COURTS**

Landscaping Little League Field	\$4,500.00	
Contractor	14,882.20	
Lighting	4,263.02	
Landscaping	460.58	
Sign	44.20	
	<hr/>	\$24,150.00
Appropriation	\$14,150.00	
Transf. from Portable Classroom Acct.	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$24,150.00

**KNOTT AVENUE EASEMENT**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$98.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$98.00

**CULVERT REPAIRS — PLOUGHED NECK ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974		\$4,500.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$2,000.00	
Appropriation	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,500.00

**IMPROVEMENT PINE STREET LOT**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$120.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$120.00

**ROAD TAKING**

**TURTLE COVE ROAD, WEE HEATHER WAY and  
BURNING TREE LANE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING**

**SAMOSSET ROAD, THUMPERTOWN LANE and  
SHADY OAK LANE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
CHIPMAN ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
CROWELL ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
KIAH'S WAY**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
HERRING RUN**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
LAKEWOOD DRIVE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
MOODY DRIVE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
FREEDOM and FRIENDLY ROADS**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$5.00
Appropriation	\$5.00

**ENGINEERING STUDY — SANDWICH BEACH SHORES**

Engineering Fees	\$23,000.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	2,000.00	
		\$25,000.00
Appropriation		\$25,000.00

**FORESTDALE FIRE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Contractor Payment	\$1,466.12
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,466.12

**SANDWICH FIRE STATION BUILDING  
STUDY COMMITTEE**

Preliminary Sketches	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

**HIGHWAY DEPT. RADIO**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$3,700.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$3,700.00

**AMBULANCE PURCHASE**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$2,900.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$2,900.00

**BRUSH BREAKER TANKER CONVERSION**

Brush Breaker — Tanker Conversion	\$7,502.03	
Balance June 30, 1974	997.97	
	<hr/>	\$8,500.00
Appropriation		\$8,500.00

**AERIAL LADDER TRUCK REPAIRS**

Purchase and Repairs	\$11,400.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$11,400.00

**GENERATOR — POLICE STATION**

Generator	\$5,000.00
Appropriation	\$5,000.00

**POLICE STATION — BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Architect	\$7,441.31	
Contractor	194,540.80	
Supplies	2,248.34	
Landscaping	912.00	
Telephone	233.87	
Electrical Contractor	499.73	
Equipment & Furniture	7,176.90	
SWD — Install Fire Service	702.87	
Fuel	328.62	
Lights & Power	97.02	
	<hr/>	\$214,181.46
Balance January 1, 1973	\$115,492.03	
Revenue Sharing	98,689.43	
	<hr/>	\$214,181.46

**HIGHWAY PICK-UP TRUCK PURCHASE**

Pick-up Truck Purchase	\$3,000.00
Appropriation	\$3,000.00

**POLICE CRUISERS**

Police Cruisers Purchase	\$21,000.00
Revenue Sharing Funds	\$21,000.00



**STREET SWEEPER — PURCHASE**

Sweeper Purchase	\$29,471.85
Revenue Sharing Funds	\$29,471.85

**COUNTY LAND DAMAGES**

Road Layouts	\$9,840.33
Appropriation	\$9,840.33

**COUNCIL ON AGING**

Meeting Expense	\$32.30	
Petty Cash for Supplies	2,054.63	
Supplies	1,221.32	
Office Expense	593.79	
Telephone	195.49	
Drop-in Center Worker	1,110.00	
Postage	157.85	
Mileage	233.30	
Educational	125.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	1,466.75	
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		\$7,190.43

Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,020.43	
Appropriation	4,600.00	
Refunds	70.00	
State Aid	1,500.00	
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		\$7,190.43

**CAPE COD MENTAL HEALTH**

Assessment		\$1,291.05
Appropriation	\$1,291.00	
Refund	.05	
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		\$1,291.05

**ADVISORY LANDSCAPE COUNCIL**

Plantings	\$4,507.77	
Balance June 30, 1974	3,057.23	
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		\$7,565.00
Appropriation	\$7,500.00	
Refund	65.00	
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		\$7,565.00

**SOIL SURVEY — CONSERVATION**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$7,814.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$7,814.00

**AERIAL SPRAY**  
**(Gypsy Moth)**

Aerial Spray	\$5,200.00
Reserve	\$5,200.00

**FUTURE LAND PURCHASE FUND**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$1,300.00
Balance January 1, 1973	\$1,300.00

**RYDER PROPERTY PURCHASES**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$150,916.00
Appropriation	\$150,916.00

**SWAIN PROPERTY PURCHASE**  
**(Briarpatch)**

Balance June 30, 1974	\$200,000.00
Appropriation	\$200,000.00

**GEARY-AHONEN-CAHOON PROPERTY PURCHASES**

Property Purchase	\$100,100.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	1,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$102,000.00
Appropriation		\$102,000.00

**MARY PEEBLES PROPERTY PURCHASE**

Property Purchase	\$60,000.00
Appropriation	\$60,000.00

**MT. HOPE CEMETERY WALL**

Building New Wall	\$7,288.77	
Landscaping	717.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	494.23	
	<hr/>	\$8,500.00
Appropriation		\$8,500.00

**THORNTON BURGESS CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Supplies — Merchandise	\$4,342.01	
Advertising & Postage	223.72	
Book Publisher	5,500.00	
Balance June 30, 1974	34.27	
	<hr/>	\$10,100.00

Appropriation	\$1,500.00	
Reserve	3,600.00	
Transferred from Income	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,100.00

**DOG KENNEL**

Advertising	\$7.04	
Drafting Fees	250.00	
Contractor	11,871.27	
Water Service	247.51	
Gas Line Installation	424.18	
	<hr/>	\$12,800.00
Appropriation		\$12,800.00

**CEMETERIES**

Labor	\$2,085.75	
Supplies	51.48	
Care of Lots	240.00	
Maintenance	1,930.00	
Restoring Stones	1,000.00	
Equipment	164.95	
Deposits of Dividends	991.58	
To Revenue	27.82	
Balance June 30, 1974	9.24	
	<hr/>	\$6,500.82
Appropriation	\$5,500.00	
Perpetual Care Income	1,000.82	
	<hr/>	\$6,500.82

**DEBT PAYMENTS**

School Construction — 1958	\$25,000.00	
School Construction — 1963	100,000.00	
Temp. Loan — New School Const.	800,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$925,000.00
Appropriation	\$125,000.00	
Temporary Loan Receipts	800,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$925,000.00

**INTEREST**

Interest on Loans	\$31,675.00
Appropriation	\$31,675.00







## DEBT ACCOUNTS

## Assets

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:  
 Inside Debt Limit:  
   General  
 Outside Debt Limit:  
   General

\$25,000.00  
 550,000.00  
\$575,000.00  
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## Liabilities and Reserves

Serial Loans:  
 Inside Debt Limit:  
   School  
 Outside Debt Limit:  
   School

\$25,000.00  
 550,000.00  
\$575,000.00  
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## TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:  
 Cash and Securities:  
   In Custody of Treasurer  
   In Custody of Trustees

\$153,101.50  
 259,356.92

## In Custody of Treasurer:

Dr. Samuel M. Beale, Jr.  
 Testimonial Fund  
 Mary I. Freeman Nursing Fund  
 Raymond Hamblin Boy Scout  
   Memorial Fund  
 Tupper Family Memorial Fund  
 Sandwich Beach Shores Play-  
   ground Fund

\$7,268.83  
 1,000.00  
 692.75  
 804.49  
2,300.63

\$12,066.70

## School Funds:

Sandwich Academy  
 Hannah B. Belcher  
   Scholarship Fund  
 Alvah W. Holway  
   Mary C. Baker  
   Scholarship Fund  
 Sandwich Tennis Club  
 George R. Meigs  
   Scholarship Fund

\$797.69  
 2,319.50  
 2,307.48  
 28,839.90  
 5,421.79  
 217.92

Elizabeth T. Van Buskirk Scholarship Fund	4,189.35	44,093.63
Library Funds:		
Wm. Brewster	\$7,000.00	
Eva M. Converse	300.00	
Mary I. Freeman	3,000.00	
Alvah W. Holway	1,000.00	
Susan F. Hoxie	5,600.00	
Abbie F. Nye	500.00	
Caroline R. Crocker	50,000.00	67,400.00
Cemetery Funds:		
Perpetual Care	\$19,194.52	
Nye Family Monument	427.86	
Mt. Hope Cemetery		
Perpetual Care	5,833.45	
Freeman Cemetery	1,757.79	27,213.62
Post War Rehabilitation Fund		247.71
Stabilization Fund		2,079.84
In Custody of Trustees:		
Wm. Eaton Needy Poor Fund		5,000.00
Library Funds:		
Weston Memorial Fund	\$37,904.23	
W. Dodge McKnight	164,412.61	
Hannah B. Belcher	11,694.06	
Mary C. Baker	17,292.16	
Annie W. Chamberlain	1,000.00	
John Frank Giles	2,000.00	
Charles W. Macey	16,888.95	
Nathaniel Nye	1,164.91	
Harriet M. Faunce	2,000.00	254,356.02
		<u>\$412,458.42</u>
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## Treasurer's Report

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### GENERAL CASH SUMMARY

Cash Balance January 1, 1973	\$178,531.39
Receipts Jan. 1, 1973 thru June 30, 1974	13,228,697.47
Disbursements Jan. 1, 1973 thru June 30, 1974	12,588,895.11
Cash Balance June 30, 1974	\$818,333.75
Check Book Balance	\$312,263.53
School Construction Money	506,070.22
	<hr/> \$818,333.75
Money in Banks January 1, 1973	\$762,204.37
Deposits in Banks	792,117.11
Interest Earned	40,121.45
Withdrawals	1,450,000.00
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Money in Banks June 30, 1974	\$144,442.93
General Town Check Book Balance	
June 30, 1974	\$312,263.53
School Construction Projects Check Book	
Balance June 30, 1974	506,070.22
Money in Banks June 30, 1974	144,442.93
Special Revenue Sharing Proceeds	
Account June 30, 1974	188,014.88
Town Funds Invested — Certificate of Deposits	900,000.00
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Total Town Funds June 30, 1974	\$2,050,791.56

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### HOXIE HOUSE

#### Income at House

4586	Adult Tickets @ .50	\$2,293.00
74	Special Adult Tickets @ .40	29.60
1721	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .50	860.50
347	Minor Tickets @ .35	121.45
151	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .35	52.85



**Comb. Tickets Sold at Mill**

5350	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .50	2,675.00	
52	Special Adult Comb. Tickets @ .35	18.20	
331	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .35	115.85	
38	Special Minor Comb. Tickets @ .25	9.50	
	Post Cards, etc.	379.65	
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	Total Income	\$6,555.60	
	Total Tickets Sold		6,879

**GRIST MILL****Income at Mill**

3739	Adult Tickets @ .75	\$2,804.25
28	Special Adult Tickets @ .50	14.00
5350	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .50	2,675.00
52	Special Adult Comb. @ .40	20.80
433	Minor Tickets @ .50	216.50
32	Special Minor @ .35	11.20
331	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .40	132.40
38	Special Minor Comb. @ .25	9.50

**Comb. Tickets Sold at Hoxie House**

1721	Adult Comb. @ .50	860.50
151	Minor Comb. @ .40	60.40
	Sale of Corn Meal	5,289.60
	Sale of Post Cards, etc.	371.00

	Total Income	\$12,465.15	
	Total Tickets Sold		10,003
<b>Combined Income and Tickets Sold</b>		<b>\$19,020.75</b>	<b>16,882</b>

Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Treasurer

## Report of the Collector of Taxes

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### 1970 EXCISE TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$110.00
Collected	\$110.00

### 1971 EXCISE TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$489.62
Collected	\$403.91
Outstanding December 31, 1974	85.71

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\$489.62

### 1972 EXCISE TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$4,119.29
Committed	1,922.73
Refunded	8.80
Paid After Abatement	313.78

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\$6,364.60

Collected	\$4,172.26
Abated	1,287.41
Outstanding December 31, 1974	904.93

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\$6,364.60

### 1973 EXCISE TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$28,523.15
Committed	60,060.19
Refunded	1,429.25
Paid After Abatement	162.60

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\$90,175.19

Collected	\$60,505.61
Abated	16,232.05
Outstanding December 31, 1974	13,437.53

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\$90,175.19

**1974 EXCISE TAXES**

Committed	\$253,656.24
Refunded	875.82
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Collected	\$254,532.06
Abated	\$146,258.95
	26,819.45
Outstanding December 31, 1974	81,453.66
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	\$254,532.06

**1974 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed in 1974	\$2,000.46
Refunded	4.84
To Be Refunded	2.97
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	\$2,008.27
Collected	\$1,938.31
Abated	10.56
Outstanding December 31, 1974	59.40
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	\$2,008.27

**1975 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed	\$4,728.36
Refunded	2.08
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	\$4,730.44
Collected	\$2,308.93
Abated	75.14
Outstanding December 31, 1974	2,346.37
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	\$4,730.44

**1972 WATER LIENS**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$78.88
Collected	\$78.88

**NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
1973 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$252.50
Refunded	51.75
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	\$304.25

Collected	\$252.50
Abated	51.75
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	\$304.25

**1974 REAL ESTATE**

Committed in 1974	\$2,727.30
Refunded	112.95
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	\$2,840.25
Collected	\$2,784.81
Abated	43.82
Transferred to Tax Title	1.38
Outstanding December 31, 1974	10.24
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	\$2,840.25

**1972 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$6,577.98
Collected	\$6,047.05
Abated	72.00
Transferred to Tax Title	234.00
Outstanding December 31, 1974	224.93
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	\$6,577.98

**1973 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$147,265.17
Refunded	1,893.00
To Be Refunded	1,012.00
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	\$150,170.17
Collected	\$137,887.04
Abated	4,753.15
Taxes In Litigation	452.00
Transferred to Tax Title	390.00
Outstanding December 31, 1974	6,687.98
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	\$150,170.17

**1974 REAL ESTATE**

Committed in 1974	\$1,172,675.30
Refunded	1,722.55
To Be Refunded	.85
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	\$1,174,398.70



Collected	\$1,137,037.49
Abated	17,712.95
Taxes In Litigation	192.10
Transferred to Tax Title	1,253.75
Outstanding December 31, 1974	18,202.41
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	\$1,174,398.70

#### 1975 REAL ESTATE

Committed	\$3,865,052.80
Refunded	4,416.30
To Be Refunded	934.50
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	\$3,870,403.60
Collected	\$1,881,913.46
Abated	57,853.60
Outstanding December 31, 1974	1,930,636.54
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	\$3,870,403.60

#### 1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$90.00
Collected	\$90.00

#### 1973 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$5,888.00
Collected	\$4,912.03
Abated	688.00
Outstanding December 31, 1974	287.97
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	\$5,888.00

#### 1974 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

Committed in 1974	\$40,452.35
Refunds	55.25
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	\$40,507.60
Collected	\$39,829.30
Abated	210.80
Outstanding December 31, 1974	467.50
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	\$40,507.60

**1975 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed	\$133,254.80
Refunded	51.80
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	\$133,306.60
Collected	\$66,123.85
Abated	2,082.30
Outstanding December 31, 1974	65,100.45
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	\$133,306.60

**SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT TAXES****1972 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$489.91
Collected	\$463.91
Transferred to Tax Title	26.00
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	\$489.91

**1973 REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$9,244.69
Refunded	169.00
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	\$9,413.69
Collected	\$8,352.49
Abated	294.72
Taxes In Litigation	45.50
Transferred to Tax Title	27.04
Outstanding December 31, 1974	693.94
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	\$9,413.69

**1974 REAL ESTATE**

Committed in 1974	\$107,657.22
Refunded	140.36
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	\$107,797.58
Collected	\$104,865.69
Abated	2,126.34
Transferred to Tax Title	11.77
Taxes In Litigation	19.25
Outstanding December 31, 1974	774.53
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	\$107,797.58

**1975 REAL ESTATE**

Committed	\$254,479.68
Refunded	156.78
To Be Refunded	29.90
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	\$254,666.36
Collected	\$123,681.67
Abated	5,212.22
Outstanding December 31, 1974	125,772.47
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	\$254,666.36

**1972 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$1.50
Collected	\$1.50

**1973 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$560.82
Collected	\$494.00
Abated	64.74
Outstanding December 31, 1974	2.08
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	\$560.82

**1975 REAL ESTATE**

Committed	\$5,928.00
Refunded	20.50
To Be Refunded	3.13
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	\$5,951.63
Collected	\$2,925.26
Abated	104.50
Outstanding December 31, 1974	2,921.87
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	\$5,951.63

**1973 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Outstanding January 1, 1974	\$13.25
Collected	\$13.25

**1974 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed in 1974	\$134.00
Collected	\$131.23
Abated	1.04

Outstanding December 31, 1974

1.73

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\$134.00

**1975 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES**

Committed

\$290.75

Collected

\$150.24

Abated

2.25

Outstanding December 31, 1974

138.26

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\$290.75

Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE,

Collector of Taxes



## Town Clerk's Report

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### BIRTHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH FOR THE YEAR — 1974

#### January:

- 17 Katherine Grace Boniface, daughter to Peter Michael Boniface and Dolores Jessica (Passenti)
- 20 Michael David Dougherty, son to David Anthony Dougherty and Donna Louise (LaFlamme)
- 20 Rebecca Lee Jenkins, daughter to Randolph Craig Jenkins and Pamela Joyce (Reynolds)
- 22 Sarah Jean Andersen, daughter to Karl William Andersen and Beverly Stanton (Holman)
- 25 Scott Phillip Williams, son to Frank Phillip Williams, Jr. and Bonnie Lee (Wolfinger)

#### February:

- 7 Shane Elliot Lewis, son to Wesley Robert Lewis and Anne Marie (Berry)
- 10 Michael Evan Richman, son to Daniel Seymour Richman and Marjorie Lee (Brookins)
- 16 Katherine Marie Earle, daughter to William Kevin Earle and Jadwiga (Narkevicius)
- 20 David Michael Curley, son to John William Curley and Susan Elizabeth (Wilkie)
- 27 William George Quirk, son to Paul Edward Quirk and Beatrice May (Cahoon)
- 28 Erin Patricia Gallup, daughter to Ronald Stanton Gallup and Dale Patricia (Buffington)

#### March:

- 16 Shannon Coleen Daniel, daughter to Thomas Cecil Daniel and Lorraine Frances (Bushman)
- 21 Matthew Patrick Ferris, son to Richard John Ferris and Elizabeth Taylor (Janiak)
- 31 Donald James Densmore, Jr., son to Donald James Densmore, Sr. and Elizabeth Joyce (Purdy)

**April:**

- 2 Jason Wayne Grabowski, son to David Paul Grabowski and Dawn Arleen (Cable)
- 12 Timothy Daniel Dwyer, son to William Daniel Dwyer and Elaine Marie (Elliott)
- 17 Christine Marie Messier, daughter to Robert Charles Messier and Barbara Theresa (Chagnon)
- 25 Holly Ann Palombo, daughter to Raymond Albert Palombo and Paula Ann (Brady)
- 27 Erin Michele Lemieux, daughter to William Francis Lemieux and Mary Elaine (Addesa)
- 29 Catherine Mary Hardwick, daughter to Mervin Crawford Hardwick and Mary Elizabeth (Gray)
- 30 Aysha Wing Peltz, daughter to Philip Peltz III and Catherine Hudson (Gantt)

**May:**

- 3 Adam Doran Jones, son to Ronald Henry Jones and Michelle Ann (Parece)
- 6 Scott Elwood Pentoney, son to Elwood George Pentoney and Beverly Kay (Elton)
- 7 Rachel Anne Files, daughter to Roger Alphonse Files and Valerie Jean (Gironda)
- 12 Thomas Raymond Dion, son to Michael William Dion and Janice Lee (Dwyer)
- 22 James Paul Militello, son to Robert Anthony Militello and Janice Ereta (Clark)
- 30 Marc Romulo Salinas, son to Reynaldo Salinas and Christine Winifred (Morris)

**June:**

- 5 Anita Marie Anthony, daughter to Gary Michael Anthony and Donna Marie (Santos)
- 11 Lee Eugene Adams, III, son to Lee Eugene Adams, II and Darlene Joy (Rollins)
- 15 Jo-Ann Marie Landers, daughter to Stewart Francis Landers and Joyce Miriam (Ignos)
- 18 Tracy Anne Barnes, daughter to Arnold Lee Barnes, Jr. and Jacqueline Anne (LeBlanc)
- 21 Daniel James Hillman, son to Barry Reed Hillman and Susan Marie (Militello)
- 22 Michael Anthony DiBuono II, son to Michael Anthony DiBuono, Jr. and Mary Louise (Asbell)
- 25 Mary Etta Kingsbury, daughter to Arthur French Kingsbury III and Donna Marie (Manning)

**June:**

- 28 Bartlett Williams George, son to William Wilkinson George and Sarah Margaret (Brown)
- 28 Aaron Joseph Levangie, son to Daniel Joseph Levangie and Joan Marie (Penza)

**July:**

- 1 Bradford Mason Blake, son to David Henry Blake and Lynne Stevens (Dunbar)
- 4 Christopher Lynch, son to Gerald Francis Lynch and Patricia Irene (Reed)
- 10 Tara Marie Sykes, daughter to Timothy Allen Sykes and Mary Lou (Bromley)

**August:**

- 2 Amy Elizabeth Gibbs, daughter to Gordon Cushman Gibbs and Sally Ann (Souza)
- 4 Mary Bishop Carmel, daughter to George Steven Carmel and Deborah Anne (Brackett)
- 7 Andrew Christopher Luff, son to Terrance Luff and Janet May (Pharant)
- 17 Baby Boy Thompson, son to Ernest Howard Thompson and Deborah Lee (Norton)
- 21 Trina Ann Coons, daughter to Ronald Edward Coons and Carol Ann (Machado)
- 26 Paul William Smith, son to Ronald Frederick Smith and Cristina Tavares (Bosshardt)
- 30 Kerin Elizabeth O'Brien, daughter to Paul Henry O'Brien and Meredith Louise (Jones)
- 30 Donna Elizabeth Judson, daughter to Willard Raymond Judson and Jacqueline Liza (Orcutt)

**September:**

- 1 Dennis Michael Rogers, son to James Frederick Rogers and Patricia (Connor)
- 4 Casey Anne Scribner, daughter to Charles Edwin Scribner and Donna Gale (Kazanjian)
- 16 Ian Nash Chase, son to William Nash Chase and Laurie (Hall)
- 29 Samantha Smith, daughter to James Michael Smith and Diane (Bowes)

**October:**

- 2 Cait Southwood, daughter to James Southwood and Anne Frances (Gallagher)



**October:**

- 6 Jeremy Thoreau Childs, son to Stephen Paul Childs and Jacqueline Winifrede (Broderson)
- 9 Jennifer Ann Vaudo, daughter to Joseph Anthony Vaudo and Mary Avis (Vance)
- 10 Paul John Maki, son to Eben Nicholas Maki and Joan Marie (Ottensmann)
- 12 Daniel Christopher Ford, son to Thomas Francis Ford and Shirley Jean (Hayes)
- 22 Leah Elizabeth Gibbs, daughter to James Roland Gibbs and Laurie Jeanne (Gowen)

**November:**

- 6 Amy Jo Carr, daughter to Robert David Carr and Barbara Ann (Sylvia)
- 16 Robert Hancock Goodwin, III, son to Robert Hancock Goodwin, Jr. and Susan Lois (Cutler)
- 16 James Bradford Goodwin, son to Robert Hancock Goodwin, Jr. and Susan Lois (Cutler)
- 20 Timothy Lee Newman, son to David William Newman and Gloria Elaine (Myers)
- 26 Kirt William Moore, son to Bradford Kenneth Moore and Dawne Elizabeth (Judson)
- 27 John Murray, son to John Murray and Debra Jane (Schmelzer)
- 30 Adrienne Elizabeth Curtis, daughter to David Dennis Curtis and Doris Irene (Hodgkins)

**December:**

- 5 Andrea Michelle Desilets, daughter to Paul Raymond Desilets and Claire Louise (Canning)
- 19 Philip Albert Foster, son to William Forest Foster and Emily Marie (Bratsnyder)
- 27 Holly Marie Anthony, daughter to Richard Val Anthony and Marcia (Macfarland)



**MARRIAGES RECORDED IN SANDWICH  
FOR THE YEAR — 1974**

**January:**

- 12 William Gordon Bryden, Jr. of Sandwich, Mass. and Sandra Spooner of New Bedford, Mass.

**February:**

- 1 Allan M. Davis of Lincolnville, Maine and Judith G. Spillane (Gault) of East Sandwich, Mass.  
14 Stephen Earl Wallace of East Sandwich, Mass. and Joanne Elizabeth Saucier of East Sandwich, Mass.  
15 Frederic Joseph Kopcak of Sandwich, Mass. and Linda A. Harrington of Sandwich, Mass.

**March:**

- 16 Mark McDonnell of Randolph, Mass. and Judith C. Newman of Forestdale, Mass.

**April:**

- 13 Thomas G. Morrison of Bourne, Mass. and Darlene F. Martin of Sandwich, Mass.  
20 Ralph Edwin Soderberg of Bourne, Mass. and Katherine Louise Dwyer of Sandwich, Mass.  
20 Stephen P. Childs of Harwich Port, Mass. and Jacqueline W. Broderson of Sandwich, Mass.  
26 Kenneth Arthur Parisien of Sandwich, Mass. and Janet M. Howes of Sandwich, Mass.  
27 Richard John Mozeleski of Monument Beach, Mass. and Mary Elizabeth Furness of Sandwich, Mass.  
27 Michael John Lewison of East Sandwich, Mass. and Linda Christine Christiansen of New Milford, Conn.

**May:**

- 4 Andrew J. Clemmey of Sandwich, Mass. and Christina A. Burke of Sandwich, Mass.  
11 Michael G. Ellis of Bourne, Mass. and Elaine M. Lynch of Bourne, Mass.  
18 Walter W. Daniels, Jr. of Stoneham, Mass. and Janet A. Williams of East Sandwich, Mass.  
18 George Houle of East Sandwich, Mass. and Carol A. Dumas of Hopkinton, Mass.  
24 John J. Glick of Sandwich, Mass. and Louise S. Lewis (McNally) of Abington, Mass.

**May:**

- 25 Kenneth W. Melvin of Sandwich, Mass. and Deborah L. Plotczyk of Falmouth, Mass.

**June:**

- 1 Wayne D. Davis of Sandwich, Mass. and Deborah Hayes of Barnstable, Mass.
- 8 William James Kestenbaum of Sandwich, Mass. and Clarissa Ann Mitchell of Sandwich, Mass.
- 22 Mark Joseph Flavin of Brewster, Mass. and Jill Ann Darcy of Weymouth, Mass.
- 28 Americo D. Longo of Portland, Conn. and Elizabeth D. Franklin of Cromwell, Conn.
- 29 John MacQuade of Sandwich, Mass. and Sandra McDonnell of Sandwich, Mass.
- 29 Charles H. Hayden of (West) Yarmouth, Mass. and Catherine C. St. Aubin (Crabe) of (West) Yarmouth, Mass.

**July:**

- 6 Andrew Lorant of Andover, Mass. and Jutta Stockfleth of Andover, Mass.
- 13 Joe S. Rychetsky of Kend, Oregon and Karen L. Myers of Sandwich, Mass.

**August:**

- 4 Michael Owen Schwartz of Norwalk, Conn. and Sandra Lee Bryant of Sandwich, Mass.
- 24 Richard J. Fournier of South Sandwich, Mass. and Dorothy Marie Dubey of Marstons Mills, Mass.
- 26 David S. Mackintosh of Dennis, Mass. and Valerie R. Volker of East Sandwich, Mass.

**September:**

- 7 Paul F. Christensen of Acton, Mass. and Mildred F. Adams of Sandwich, Mass.
- 9 John Murray of Sandwich, Mass. and Debra Jane Schmelzer of Sandwich, Mass.
- 12 Roy F. Drew of Sandwich, Mass. and Emma V. Adams (Persson) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 14 Robert J. Fawcett, Jr. of Sandwich, Mass. and Debra L. Carter of Sandwich, Mass.
- 14 Arthur V. Stevens of West Haven, Conn. and Kathryn J. Crane of Sandwich, Mass.

**September:**

- 19 Peter Randolph O'Keefe of Sandwich, Mass. and Susan Irene McLaughlin of Sandwich, Mass.
- 25 Paul R. LeGacy of Sandwich, Mass. and Susan D. Newman of Forestdale, Mass.
- 28 Richard F. Wyman of Sandwich, Mass. and Janice A. Martin (Caron) of Sandwich, Mass.

**October:**

- 2 Raymond Thomas Cahoon of Sandwich, Mass. and Darleen Frances Murphy of Sandwich, Mass.
- 12 William F. Chapman of Sandwich, Mass. and Carol Chase Hooten of Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 Laird Kerr Hall of Alexandria, Va. and Hazel Earle of Sandwich, Mass.
- 26 Charles Joseph Horan of Sandwich, Mass. and Margaret Mary Sheehan of South Yarmouth, Mass.

**November:**

- 9 Robert Silvia of Sandwich, Mass. and Denise Mary Wilhelm of Plymouth, Mass.
- 29 Francis B. Prada of East Sandwich, Mass. and Phyllis A. Marsolais (Eisnor) of Sandwich, Mass.

**December:**

- 6 Alvin W. Gibbs of Sandwich, Mass. and Grace E. Earle of Sandwich, Mass.
- 7 Henry B. Collins of Mansfield, Mass. and Joan Milliken Crane of Sandwich, Mass.
- 29 David E. Hyde of Sandwich, Mass. and Marilyn M. Roberts (Dowd) of Buzzards Bay, Mass.

**DEATHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH  
FOR THE YEAR — 1974**

		<b>Yrs.</b>	<b>Mos.</b>	<b>Days</b>
<b>January:</b>				
18	Rockwell Richardson	78	0	7
30	Dorothy A. Gardner (Greenleaf)	79	2	7
31	Morgan Brady	67	—	—
<b>February:</b>				
9	Wallace A. Stuart	73	1	1
22	Carl A. Rasmusson	70	3	5
22	Mary J. Schindler (O'Brien)	81	10	19
<b>March:</b>				
6	Lena Walters	96	7	12
8	Katherine Josephine Brady (Swansey)	93	6	10
12	Alice Hall (Ouellette)	74	3	0
18	Imelda Consolini	89	11	15
21	Mary Agnes Gunn (Aubertine)	88	9	8
26	John M. Pinto	66	7	16
31	Jane Clarke Gardner (Hendricks)	96	5	14
<b>April:</b>				
1	Jessie L. Hunt (Sharp)	54	2	2
15	Dennis R. Perry	26	4	21
17	Galen R. Kinney	71	6	8
26	Mary Josephine Harrison (McCarthy)	76	7	26
27	Harriett Elizabeth Hooper (Pushee)	87	6	19
28	James Norris Wilfert	71	9	14
<b>May:</b>				
1	James F. O'Dowd	61	0	4
4	Eric Axel Fallgren	72	10	5
7	Richard Emerson Huntoon	65	8	19
10	Charles Henry Schmelzer	71	5	1
12	Conrad Paul Brun	47	11	7
28	William B. Green	62	6	24
31	Mathew Joseph Mullaney	58	11	27
<b>June:</b>				
13	Mabel D. McCormick (Petre)	71	—	—
14	Howard Tremaine Slade	64	1	29
24	Helen Sessions (Midgley)	61	2	11
28	Ada Gilman (Tartarini)	73	9	3



## Yrs. Mos. Days

**July:**

4	David Allen, Jr.	18	1	5
4	Frederick Grant Hansel	15	5	26
5	Elise V. Youngberg	71	11	25
7	Willard E. Boyden	76	5	11
10	Mary Bawolski (Costa)	94	9	28
15	Mary Michelson (McLaughlin)	87	8	25
24	Virgil E. Funk	62	3	14

**August:**

12	C. Felix Jenkins	54	0	6
17	Baby Boy Thompson	1 Hour 20 Minutes		
27	Carolyn S. Tracy	89	6	1

**September:**

2	John W. Ross	60	5	7
19	Violet Morey (Roberts)	80	7	3
20	Adelle Krom (Platenburg)	70	6	28
21	Onni A. Pipatti	63	8	18
21	Ray T. Granger	73	0	1

**October:**

15	Michael Kessock Sr.	54	3	24
19	Dorothy Mattice Power	43	7	5
27	Doris Zuline Kershaw (Smith)	72	4	12

**November:**

1	Manuel Reis Silva	83	0	25
2	Lillian F. Reinhardt (Murphy)	64	10	0
12	Ernest H. Young	58	7	12
13	Samuel D. White	84	0	27
16	Mary Lee Lathrop (Malcolm)	59	4	18
26	Gardner Massie	68	2	3
28	William Dean Wilkinson	87	4	7

**December:**

1	Earl Flinker	58	4	9
23	Louise L. Creeron (Dorman)	84	5	15

# **DIVISION OF FISHERIES & GAME**

## **1974 Licenses Issued in 1974**

Resident Citizen Fishing	193	@	\$8.25	\$1,592.25
Resident Citizen Hunting	183	@	8.25	1,509.75
Resident Citizen Sporting	81	@	13.50	1,093.50
Resident Citizen Minor Fishing	15	@	6.25	93.75
Non-Res. Cit./Alien Fishing	17	@	14.25	242.25
Non-Res. Cit./Alien 7 Day Fishing	35	@	8.25	288.75
Non-Res. Cit./Alien Hunting	2	@	20.25	40.50
Resident Citizen Minor Trapping	4	@	6.25	25.00
Resident Citizen Trapping	4	@	11.50	46.00
Non-Res. Cit./Alien				
Commercial Shooting	1	@	16.25	16.25
Duplicate Licenses	8	@	1.00	8.00
Archery Deer Stamps	15	@	5.10	76.50
Mass. Waterfowl Stamps	108	@	1.25	135.00
Resident Citizen Sporting (Free)	49			
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Totals	715			\$5,167.50
Less Town Clerk's Fees				162.25
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Remitted to Division of Fisheries & Game				\$5,005.25

**DOG LICENSES****1973 Dog Licenses Issued in 1974**

14 Male	@	\$3.00	\$42.00
4 Female	@	6.00	24.00
3 Spayed Female	@	3.00	9.00
1 Kennel	@	10.00	10.00

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<b>22</b>			<b>\$85.00</b>
	Less Town Clerk's Fees		7.70
	Remitted to County Treasurer		\$77.30

**1974 Dog Licenses Issued in 1974**

509 Male	@	\$3.00	\$1,527.00
112 Female	@	6.00	672.00
384 Spayed Female	@	3.00	1,152.00
19 Kennel	@	10.00	190.00
1 Kennel	@	25.00	25.00
2 Kennel	@	50.00	100.00

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<b>1027</b>			<b>\$3,666.00</b>
	Less Town Clerk's Fees		359.45
	Remitted to County Treasurer		\$3,306.55
7 Dogs Sold			35.00
	Remitted to County Treasurer		\$35.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE

Town Clerk

## Jury List

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Adolfson, Gladys E.	Housewife
Albright, Carolyn Ayer	Retired
Alcorn, Arnold S.	Retired
Alvezi, Walter R.	Retired
Antoncecchi, Leo J.	Merchant
Arnold, Douglas J.	Security and Service
Backer, Arvid	Retired
Bangs, Donald H.	TV Repairman
Beers, Walter R.	Retired
Birchall, Pamela D.	Clerk
Brady, Bernard	Observer
Bryden, Willard O.	Insurance
Bryden, William G.	Real Estate Appraiser
Carlucci, Nancy	Housewife
Coppola, Victor F.	Retired
Cross, Mary I.	Housemother
DeConto, Richard T.	Real Estate
DeCota, Leonard J.	Custodian
Donovan, William D.	Marine Controller
Drew, Roy F.	Custodian
Drinkwater, George G.	Self Employed
Dwyer, Earl L.	Restaurant Owner
Fears, Jane	Housewife
Fournier, Josephine A.	Housewife
Fraser, Clifford A.	Carpenter
Geary, Adrienne M.	Housewife
George, Justin W.	Lineman
Gerling, Robert L.	Life Insurance Advisor
Gorden, Morton	Consultant
Govoni, Mary J.	Housewife
Gozdz, Zigmund	Retired
Hefler, Harold B.	Retired
Hopkins, Melva K.	Housewife
Horrigan, Clement V.	Teacher
Jones, Barbara P.	Housewife
Leino, Carl E.	Retired
Leonard, Ruth F.	Housewife
Lumpkin, Bertram R., Jr.	Design Draftsman
Magnant, Claire C.	Housewife
McKillop, Robert D.	Retired



Meduna, Joseph	Marine Traffic Officer
Murphy, Anna J.	Retired
Needham, R. Elizabeth	Housewife
Peltz, Philip	Wood Carver
Pike, Donald H.	Retired
Pipatti, Onni A.	Maintenance Foreman
Pola, Margaret S.	Housewife
Quirk, Janice C.	Bus Driver
Rasmusson, Evelyn M.	Housewife
Roque, Joseph F.	Contractor
Rosa, Joseph P., Jr.	Teamster
Rowe, Nancy L.	Bank Clerk
Selfridge, Pearl N.	Housewife
Sharp, Ralph D.	Retired
Surdat, David	Musician
Swanberg, Charles G.	Used Car Mgr.
Tocchio, E. Michael	Builder
Toohey, Rita C.	Housewife
Townsend, Ethel M.	Housewife
Vega, Domingo	Retired
Warren, Gloria T.	Housewife
Watson, John	Retired
White, Robert L.	Mechanic
Williams, James M.	Carpenter's Helper
Willette, Lois J.	Housewife
Zagami, Marjorie	Housewife

# Report of the Annual Town Meeting

Monday, May 6, 1974

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The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by the Moderator, Mr. William A. Bullock.

The Invocation was offered by the Reverend John H Thomas of St. John's Episcopal Church, Sandwich.

The Moderator appointed five tellers for the meeting: Messrs. Bert Lumpkin, Jr., Edgar Caron, Daniel Cullity, George Crawford and James Earle.

The complete reading of the Warrant was dispensed with by unanimous vote.

ARTICLE 1. To hear the reports of all Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon, or take any action relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the reports of the Town Officers, Boards and Departments be accepted as printed in the 1973 Annual Town Report, subject to error in printing.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1974, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1974, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will fix the salaries of all elected officers as provided in Section 108 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the salaries of the elected Town Officers for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1974 be as follows:

Chairman of Board of Selectmen	\$10,000.00
2 Selectmen	6,500.00 each
3 Assessors	1,500.00 each
Treasurer	4,150.00
Tax Collector	6,800.00
Town Clerk	5,000.00
Moderator	200.00
Highway Surveyor	11,752.00
Tree Warden	2,000.00
Board of Health:	
Chairman	738.00
Vice Chairman	685.00
Clerk	685.00

ARTICLE 4. To hear the report of the Finance Committee and to raise and appropriate monies as may be needed to defray Town expenses for the Fiscal Year from July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975, or do anything relative thereto.

#### BUDGET 1974-75

	Approp. 1973	Recom'd. 1974
Legislative	\$750.00	\$700.00
Law	20,000.00	20,000.00
Certification of Notes	1,000.00	36,000.00
Interest	31,675.00	639,000.00
Selectmen	35,354.00	30,500.00
Assessors	30,962.00	23,000.00
Accountant	12,532.00	9,360.00
Clerical — SA & A	39,670.00	30,000.00
Treasurer	9,348.06	7,445.00
Tax Collector	17,439.87	13,200.00
Town Clerk	5,694.42	7,300.00
Clerical, Treasurer, etc.	36,419.34	30,800.00
Election and Registration	9,515.00	9,750.00
Town Hall	10,260.00	9,400.00
Police	360,866.00	395,744.00
Fire	237,297.00	235,939.00

	<b>Approp. 1973</b>	<b>Recom'd. 1974</b>
Forest Warden	2,475.00	1,700.00
Woods Roads	700.00	500.00
Insect Pest Control	9,400.00	5,000.00
Dutch Elm Control	14,250.00	14,000.00
Tree Warden	9,450.00	7,800.00
Wire Inspector	3,180.00	2,220.00
Building Inspector	14,615.75	11,360.00
Gas Inspector	3,115.00	2,000.00
Health and Sanitation	71,225.00	65,458.00
Public Health Nurse	42,314.30	49,025.00
Highway General	122,000.00	89,537.00
Finance Committee	750.00	500.00
Veterans Services	60,000.00	40,000.00
School	1,831,398.00	1,890,335.00
Library	34,000.00	40,931.00
Miscellaneous	750.00	500.00
Clark Haddad Building	3,360.00	5,030.00
Street Lights	20,000.00	15,000.00
Planning Board	12,234.00	8,560.00
Appeals Board	1,800.00	3,925.00
Historic District Commission	300.00	200.00
Park Department	36,827.00	33,820.00
Memorial Day	1,200.00	800.00
Christmas Lighting	2,500.00	2,500.00
Tax Title Account	15,800.00	11,395.00
Hydrant Rental	1,500.00	1,000.00
Town Reports & Warrants	8,000.00	5,000.00
4th of July Celebration	2,500.00	2,800.00
Public Entertainment	1,000.00	500.00
Town Advertising	1,000.00	500.00
Binding Town Reports	500.00	1,500.00
Green Head Fly control	844.00	422.00
Recreation Committee	37,527.00	38,980.00
Fish & Game	400.00	300.00
Town Insurance	44,000.00	28,000.00
Town Clock	500.00	500.00
Cemeteries	5,500.00	9,250.00
Conservation Commission	17,565.00	31,790.00
Vocational School	74,620.15	50,281.89
School Loan 1958	25,000.00	25,000.00
School Loan 1963	100,000.00	50,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	17,000.00	17,500.00



	Approp. 1973	Recom'd. 1974
Sandwich Historical Commission	1,000.00	800.00
Engineering Department	47,294.00	56,350.00
Civil Defense	948.00	400.00
Town Garage	10,260.00	6,830.00
Shell Fish Warden	1,612.00	2,006.00
Dog & Conservation Officer	14,865.00	14,280.00
Council on Aging	4,600.00	7,000.00
Historic Study Commission		500.00
School Loan 1974		625,000.00
Street Signs		1,000.00

Dr. Ostrander noted that the increased cost of goods and services are very much in evidence in the Finance Committee's review of the budget requests for 1975 fiscal year. Every department of the town is affected by this.

He said further: While these figures represent a large amount to be appropriated, a discussion with the Assessors indicates that with the funds to be received through the cherry sheet only about three million dollars will be necessary to be raised through taxation.

Instead of a possible projected tax increase during the first year relating to the cost in connection with the new school construction program of \$9.00, it is now indicated that the tax rate for 1974-1975 will be \$22.00 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. This will represent only a \$2.00 increase over the 1973 tax rate of \$20.00. Also the tax rate for the first six months of 1974 which had been computed at \$10.00 with the increased assessed valuation has been reduced to \$8.50.

Dr. Ostrander moved that the Town raise and appropriate \$4,777,723.89 for the budget of 1975, divided among the respective accounts, as printed in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for the fiscal year 1975 under Article 4.

The motion was seconded.

Mr. Ohman questioned the increase in eleven of the items which account, he pointed out, for 83½% of the total budget, an increase of 86½% and an increase of 23.65% for 16½% of the budget. Mr. Robert Johnson asked about the police department increase and Mr. Whearty explained the increase in manpower, the increase in negotiated salaries

and the inclusion of the communications center and the manning of this with a full time officer, as the reason for the increase. In answer to further questions, Mr. Torrey explained the Conservation Commission increase, some of the money would be coming back from the Federal Government. Mr. Ellis for the Board of Health pointed out that there was a projected survey of the disposal area which should be done, an item of \$15,000 and a \$5,000 increase in bulldozing for the year. The Public Health Nurse explained increase due to the Home Care Agency and while there is reimbursement, the money must be there to pay the agency. Mr. Taylor, Town Engineer, pointed out that this department was adding a full time man and the station wagon is being replaced. Assessors maps are five or six years old, and are being microfilmed at a cost of \$2,500., the vehicle \$3,500., the full time man \$8,300. and the normal increases account for that budget. Mr. Johnson questioned the School budget. Mr. DeConto explained that this increase was due to cost of supplies, additional staff, and at the special hearing, the increases had been explained.

Mr. Ciarfella made a motion to table the article on the basis that no one was there to explain. Mr. Pola pointed out that the budget had been available and but two had shown up at the meeting. He felt that anyone who had been interested could have found out in the month prior to Town Meeting.

Mr. Aldrich, asking about the item of \$36,000.00 for certification of notes was answered by Mr. Hoxie who pointed out that the budget included the cost of borrowing for the new school, and the cost of the certification of the bonds runs from \$3 to \$5 per bond.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$4,777,723.89 for the budget of 1975, divided among the respective accounts, as printed in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for the fiscal year 1975 under Article 4. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for roads under the provisions of Sections 26 - 29 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$7,941.00 from funds received from Section 22 of Chapter 1140 of the Acts of 1973, for the Town's share

and to transfer and appropriate \$21,840.00 from Surplus Revenue for the State's share for roads, under the provisions of Sections 26-29 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Quaker Meeting House Road, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$36,958.00 from funds received from Section 20 of Chapter 1140 of the Acts of 1973 and to transfer and appropriate \$53,655.00 from Section 22 of Chapter 1140 of the Acts of 1973 for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Quaker Meeting House Road. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to a Reserve Account, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$35,000.00 to a Reserve Account. This was a voice vote.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to reimburse Barnstable County in connection with Land Damage paid in connection with the County Taking of Great Hill Road and Chase Road as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,372.50 to reimburse Barnstable County to cover land damages paid in connection with the County Taking of Great Hill Road and Chase Road as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be paid to the Cape Cod Mental Health Association for services rendered to the citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,097.00 to be paid to the Cape Cod Mental Health Association for services rendered to citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the third year contract pay-



ment on the Portable Classrooms installed at the Henry T. Wing School.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$61,525.00 for the third year contract payment on the portable classrooms at the Henry T. Wing School.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase the Helen H. F. Dunbar property located on Water Street and shown on Assessors Map 6, Parcels S2 and S3 consisting of about 3.4 acres for municipal use consistent with the preservation of the existing building, the remaining area to be reviewed for the potential location of a future Town Office Building or for other municipal use and to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund to be transferred from the Special Savings Account when needed, or do anything relative thereto.

Mrs. Bass moved an amendment which would omit from the article the portion "for municipal use consistent with the preservation of the existing building, the remaining area to be reviewed for potential municipal use."

The amendment as presented by Mrs. Bass was carried unanimously by voice vote.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to acquire by purchase the Helen H. F. Dunbar property located on Water Street and shown on Assessors Map 6, Parcel S2 and S3 consisting of about 3.4 acres and to transfer and appropriate \$121,500.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund Special Savings Account to cover the purchase price. This was by voice vote.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to employ competent advice to study and evaluate the Dunbar property as to the needs and requirements for municipal use consistent with the preservation of the existing building with the remaining area to be reviewed for the potential location of a future Town Office Building or for other municipal use and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose and to report back to a future town meeting, or do anything relative thereto.

Dr. Cross then moved that the article be amended by deleting the phrase "for the potential location of a future office building, or for other municipal use."



The motion as amended by Dr. Cross was then voted:

VOTED: That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to employ competent advice to study and evaluate the Dunbar property as to the needs and requirements for municipal use consistent with the preservation of the existing building with the remaining area to be reviewed and to raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 and to report back to a future Town Meeting. This was a hand vote, 366 for, 131 against.

Dr. Wright moved that the assembly consider Article 26 before Article 13. By hand vote, 271 for, 115 against, this was carried.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will authorize the formation of a select committee to examine the present Town Hall Building, both as to structure and present space utilization and to report at the 1975 Annual Town Meeting such recommendations as will permit its full utilization as offices of the Town and for such specialized meetings as it may accommodate, said select committee to be composed of a representative of the Board of Selectmen, the Building Inspector, an officer from each of the following Town bodies: the Historical Commission, the Historic District Commission, the School Board, and the Planning Board; said select committee also to include a member representative designated by each of the following organizations if they choose to participate: the Sandwich Woman's Club, the Sandwich Junior Woman's Club, the Sandwich Men's Club, the Sandwich Historical Society and the Heritage Plantation, and to see if the Town will authorize said select committee to draw upon such technical assistance as from time to time is deemed necessary, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for use of said committee, or do anything relative thereto.

(By Petition)

The article was moved and seconded. Dr. Ostrander said the Finance Committee approves of a study of the present Town Hall Building, but felt that the article as presented needs modification if the study committee is to include those persons who will be most affected by an alteration in the present facilities, and he moved the article be amended to read: Move that the Town authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee consisting of a member representative designated by each of the following Town Boards:

Board of Selectmen  
Planning Board

Board of Appeals  
 Board of Health  
 Conservation Commission  
 Historic District Commission  
 Historical Commission

The Selectmen shall appoint to the committee:

Town Clerk  
 Building Inspector  
 Town Engineer

and a member representative designated by each of the following organizations:

Historical Society  
 Heritage Plantation Management  
 Womans Club

The committee thus established shall examine the present Town Hall Building both as to structure and present space utilization and to report to a future Town Meeting such recommendations as will permit its full utilization as offices of the Town and for such specialized meetings as it may accommodate and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the use of said committee to employ such technical assistance as from time to time is deemed necessary.

The motion was seconded.

Mrs. MacLean moved that two members at large be included, and this was seconded and the amendment carried by voice vote.

Susan Klein made a motion to amend the article to include members designated from the Sandwich Citizens Organization. This was seconded and the Moderator said it was not carried, but a request by 7 was made for a counted vote. A show of hands vote showed the motion carried 232 to 137.

Mrs. Kathleen Andrews moved that the Junior Woman's Club be included, which was seconded and carried by voice vote.

**VOTED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Town authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee consisting of a member representative designated by each of the following Town Boards:

Board of Selectmen  
 Planning Board

Board of Appeals  
 Board of Health  
 Conservation Commission  
 Historic District Commission  
 Historical Commission

The Selectmen shall appoint to the committee:

Town Clerk  
 Building Inspector  
 Town Engineer  
 Two members at large

and a member representative designated by each of the following organizations:

Sandwich Junior Women's Club  
 Historical Society  
 Heritage Plantation Management  
 Sandwich Woman's Club  
 Sandwich Citizens Organization

The committee thus established shall examine the present Town Hall Building both as to structure and present space utilization and to report to a future Town Meeting such recommendations as will permit its full utilization as offices of the Town and for such specialized meetings as it may accommodate and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the use of said committee to employ such technical assistance as from time to time is deemed necessary.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate money received from the State Public Library Aid Account to the Library Appropriation Account, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,964.93 received from the State Public Library Aid Fund to the Library Appropriation Account.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the money received from the Dog Fund of 1973 to the Library Appropriation Account, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,842.45 received from the 1973 Dog Fund to the Library Appropriation Account.



ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money and to transfer and appropriate the 1973 income from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill for the Operation and Maintenance of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$8,000.00 and transfer and appropriate \$16,506.85 from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill income account both to be used for the operation and maintenance of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 4, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 4, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefore to the Commonwealth.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the Marina Income Account for the use of the operation, maintenance, repairs and capital outlay at the East Boat Basin Marina, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$9,404.78 from the Marina Income Account to a maintenance and operating account for the Marina at the East Boat Basin.



ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to institute a study of the dwelling on the Peebles property to ascertain the advisability of restoring it as a land mark including the cost estimate and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose and report back to a future Town Meeting, or do anything relative thereto.

Dr. Wright moved indefinite postponement of Article 18. This was seconded.

VOTED: Indefinite postponement of Article 18. Moderator declared carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will authorize the Historical Commission to contract to repair and restore the exterior of the Deacon Eldred House (purchased by the Town August 1973) at 4 Water Street, including any repairs to the underpinnings and whatever minor repairs may be necessary to existing plumbing and utilities and to accept and direct volunteer help from the several interested Sandwich organizations to refurbish the interior so that the house can be used as a Visitors' Center and for the housing and display of Thornton Burgess memorabilia this summer, and to raise and appropriate a sum, not to exceed \$23,000.00 for the same, or do anything relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Dr. Ostrander, Chairman of the Finance Committee, pointed out that the Committee did not endorse or recommend the article, having previously endorsed the principle of a study committee, he moved that the Town authorize the Historical Commission to contract to repair and restore the exterior of the Deacon Eldred House at 4 Water Street, including any repairs to the underpinnings and whatever minor repairs may be necessary to existing plumbing and utilities and to accept and direct volunteer help from the several interested Sandwich organizations to refurbish the interior so that the house can be used as a Visitors' Center and for the housing and display of Thornton Burgess memorabilia this summer and to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$23,000.00 for the same.

This was seconded.

Dr. Rosser moved an amendment as follows: To remove the phrase "the Historical Commission" and to substitute therefor "the Board of Selectmen" to contract to repair and

restore the exterior of the Deacon Eldred House at 4 Water Street in consultation with the Historical Commission. The Moderator declared this amendment carried by voice vote.

The original motion as amended was then voted by voice vote as follows:

**VOTED:** That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen, in consultation with the Historical Commission, to contract to repair and restore the exterior of the Deacon Eldred House at 4 Water Street, including any repairs to the underpinnings and whatever minor repairs may be necessary to existing plumbing and utilities and to accept and direct volunteer help from the several interested Sandwich organizations to refurbish the interior so that the house can be used as a Visitors' Center and for the housing and display of Thornton Burgess memorabilia this summer and to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$23,000.00 for the same.

The meeting was then voted adjourned at 11:15 p.m. until Tuesday, May 7 at 7:30.

The Moderator opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 7, and appointed as tellers Mr. McKillop, Mr. Sutton, Mr. Crawford and Mr. Jillson.

**ARTICLE 20.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the removal of the dwelling located on the property purchased from Mary Crockett Peebles located on Water Street and to institute the first phase of development and landscaping for park purposes to improve the overall appearances of Town Hall Square, or do anything relative thereto.

Mrs. Cross moved indefinite postponement of the article. This was seconded. It was then voted by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 21.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and to transfer and appropriate from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for the use of the Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Burgess Centennial Committee)

Dr. Ostrander pointed out that the Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee have developed an ambitious and complete program to properly celebrate the 100th anniver-

sary of the birth of Thornton Burgess in Sandwich. So far the advance sale of the book which they have had published has resulted in the deposit with the Town of \$5,000.00. Since this money is deposited in an agency account, it is necessary for the Town to vote on making it available for additional committee expenditures, and the committee have also requested an additional \$5,000.00 for projected costs of their activities.

Dr. Ostrander moved that the Town raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 and transfer and appropriate \$5,000.00 from the Burgess Centennial Income Account both to be made available for expenses in connection with the Thornton Burgess Centennial. The motion was seconded.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 and transfer and appropriate \$5,000.00 from the Burgess Centennial Income Account both to be made available for expenses in connection with the Thornton Burgess Centennial.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to complete the landscape planting on the grounds of the Police Station, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,300.00 to complete the landscape planting at the Police Station.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from an unexpended balance of a previous Knott Avenue Drainage Appropriation to improve a Main Street drainage problem, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,500.00 from an unexpended balance of a previous Knott Avenue Drainage Appropriation to improve a Main Street drainage problem. The Moderator declared this article carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift a parcel of land from George S. Baksis and Bronnie A. Baksis located on Main Street and shown on Assessors Map 2, as part of Parcel S5-1, consisting of 5,567 square feet; said land to be incorporated with existing Town owned parcel, or do anything relative thereto.



UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept as a gift a parcel of land from George S. and Bronnie A. Baksis, located on Main Street and shown on Assessors Map 2, as part of Parcel S5-1, consisting of 5,567 square feet; said land to be incorporated with existing Town owned parcel for drainage purposes.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the alterations and addition to the Sandwich Fire Station to provide needed adequate space, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Fire Station Study Committee)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$69,000.00 for the alterations and addition to the Sandwich Fire Station to provide needed adequate space.

ARTICLE 26. See Page 6 of this report.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of the Bicentennial Committee to promote appropriate activities in conjunction with the state-wide Bicentennial Celebration, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Bicentennial Committee.)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for the use of the Bicentennial Committee to promote appropriate activities in conjunction with the State-wide Bicentennial Celebration.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be paid to the Cape-Islands Home Care, Inc. to be used as matching funds to enable the Home Care Program to offer services to elderly residents of the area, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$500.00 to be paid to the Cape-Islands Home Care, Inc., to be used as matching funds to enable the Home Care Program to offer services to elderly residents of the area.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a station wagon equipped to replace the present Fire Chief's patrol wagon, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Board of Fire Engineers)



**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$4,500.00 for the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a station wagon equipped to replace the Fire Chief's present patrol wagon.

**ARTICLE 30.** To see if the Town will direct the Selectmen to rescind the present \$1.00 charge for permits for residents of the Town of Sandwich to use their beaches, and to refund this charge wherever already collected, or do anything relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Dr. Ostrander pointed out that the Finance Committee had reviewed the circumstances leading up to the establishing of a charge for the stickers with the Selectmen, who have the authority to establish such fees, and realizing that the fee charged only covers parking charges and is in no way related to the use of Town beaches, the Finance Committee felt justified in not recommending this article, but Dr. Ostrander moved the article for the meeting's consideration.

In answer to a question from Mr. Ohman, Mr. Green explained the basis for the authority of the Selectmen. Mr. Hiler explained the thinking of the Board, and that the money would go into an Agency fund. Mrs. MacLean moved that the action on the article be indefinitely postponed, so that a fund would be built up. This was seconded and it was then voted.

**VOTED:** That consideration of Article 30 be indefinitely postponed.

**ARTICLE 31.** To see if the Town will vote to amend Article XII, Section 2 of the Sandwich Town Bylaws by changing the age limit from 21 years to 18 years to conform with the present state statute regarding the purchase and use of alcoholic beverages.

(Request of the Chief of Police)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town amend Article XII, Section 2 of the Sandwich Town By-Laws by changing the age limit from 21 years to 18 years to conform with the present state statute regarding the purchase and use of alcoholic beverages. This Article was voted by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 32.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 22D of the General Laws,

to provide for the towing of vehicles impeding snow removal and other serious parking violations as the Selectmen may determine.

(Request of the Chief of Police)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 22D of the General Laws, to provide for the towing of vehicles impeding snow removal and such other serious parking violations as the Selectmen may determine.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase from Stanley H. Lehner two parcels of land located on Beale Avenue and shown as Parcels V19-1 and V19-2 on Assessors Map Sheet 6, containing about 1.73 acres for the projected location of a future Town Community Building, or do anything relative thereto.

Mrs. MacLean moved that the article be indefinitely postponed.

VOTED: That consideration of Article 33 be indefinitely postponed. This was by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Bylaw to be added as Section 6 under Article I of the Town of Sandwich Bylaws:

At any regular or special Town Meeting the vote upon any article authorizing the expenditure of the sum of \$250,000.00 or more for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of any lands or buildings or equipment shall be taken by written ballot.

(Py Petition)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the following By-Law to be added as Section 6 under Article I of the Sandwich Town By-Laws:

At any regular or special Town Meeting the vote upon any article authorizing the expenditure of the sum of \$250,000.00 or more for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of any lands or buildings or equipment shall be taken by written ballot.

This Article was voted by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting Section 2550, and substituting the following:

"2550. Exception to Lot Size Requirements:

Lots having lesser frontage or area than the minimum required for the district and shown on a plan registered or recorded prior to the date of adoption of this By-Law as shown on any plan hereafter registered or recorded prior to the adoption of any amendment increasing the Intensity of Use requirements applicable to such plan, may be used for a detached single family dwelling otherwise permitted in the district, unless exempt by statute, notwithstanding that the owner of any such lot shall own land immediately adjacent thereto, provided that no side yard shall be less than the greater of 10% of the lot's frontage or 6 feet on one side and 8 feet on the other and provided further that such lot shall have an area of not less than 5000 square feet and a frontage of not less than 40 feet."

or act in relation thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

This article was moved and seconded and was presented for the majority of the Planning Board by Alan Jones, who pointed out that the article was placed in the Warrant at the request of the majority of the Board. He noted that unfortunately there were some technical problems with the article as printed in the Warrant and, at the outset, it was believed that it might not be possible to amend the Article from the floor to perfect it. However, our Planning Consultant, Philip Herr, and our Town Counsel concur that minor changes required can be legally accomplished by an amendment. I move to amend Article 35 by changing its wording so that it reads as follows:

2550. Exception to Lot Size Requirements:

"Lots having lesser frontage or area than the minimum required for the district and shown on a plan registered or recorded prior to the effective date of this By-Law or shown on any plan registered or recorded prior to the effective date of any amendment increasing the Intensity of Use requirements applicable to such plan, may be used for a detached single family dwelling otherwise permitted in the district notwithstanding that the owner of any such lot shall own land immediately adjacent thereto, provided that no side yard shall be less



than 20 feet on a lot having frontage of more than 100 feet but less than 200 feet and that no side yard shall be less than the greater of 10% of the lot's frontage or 6 feet on one side and 8 feet on the other on a lot having frontage of 100 feet or less and provided further that such lot shall have an area of not less than 5000 square feet and a frontage of not less than 40 feet; and further provided that all other requirements of the By-Law are complied with."

The purpose of this article is to correct a deficiency which exists in the present Sandwich Protective Zoning By-Law. Under Chapter 40a of the General Laws of Massachusetts the owner of an individual lot which has been made substandard by upgrading of zoning requirements in an area, may build a single family dwelling on his lot. Under the Sandwich Zoning By-Law, Section 2550, this protection is extended to the owner of two or more contiguous lots providing they have frontage of 100 feet or less on an approved way. The intent and purpose of this amendment is to extend this same protection to the owner of two or more contiguous lots even though they may have frontage of 105, 110 or 135 feet. The present By-Law seems to discriminate against the individual who owns larger lots.

The original motion as amended by Mr. Jones was then voted as follows:

VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning By-Law by deleting Section 2550 and substituting the following:

"2550. Exception to Lot Size Requirements:

Lots having lesser frontage or area than the minimum required for the district and shown on a plan registered or recorded prior to the effective date of this By-Law or shown on any plan registered or recorded prior to the effective date of any amendment increasing the Intensity of Use requirements applicable to such plan, may be used for a detached single family dwelling otherwise permitted in the district notwithstanding that the owner of any such lot shall own land immediately adjacent thereto, provided that no side yard shall be less than 20 feet on a lot having frontage of more than 100 feet but less than 200 feet and that no side yard shall be less than the greater of 10% of the lot's frontage or 6 feet on one side and 8 feet on the other on a lot having



frontage of 100 feet or less and provided further that such lot shall have an area of not less than 5000 square feet and a frontage of not less than 40 feet; and further provided that all other requirements of the By-Law are complied with.

The vote on this Article was a hand vote: 206 yes, 75 no. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

**ARTICLE 36.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Town Bylaw:

No person shall solicit contributions, or offer for sale magazine subscriptions or any goods or services in the Town while standing in a public way or while going uninvited from house to house unless licensed by the Selectmen.

The Selectmen may issue, or deny for cause after an investigation, said license within seven days after receipt of application.

In granting or denying an application, the Selectmen may consider the nature and quality of the goods or services to be sold, the proposed method of payment to be offered, the contract to be offered, the financial dependability of the applicant and his product. The Selectmen may also fix reasonable restrictions as to the days and times of such solicitations.

Any person violating this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than Twenty-Five (\$25.00) Dollars or more than Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars.

(Request of Chief of Police)

This Article was voted by voice vote and declared **UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED** by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 37.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Protective Zoning Bylaw by substituting in Article V Definitions, Animal Kennel or Hospital: the word three instead of four dogs so that the requirement will conform with state law and to read as follows:

Premises licensed for the harboring and/or care of more than three dogs more than six months old, or other domestic animals.

(Request of the Planning Board)

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town amend the Sandwich Protective Zoning By-Law by substituting in Arti-

cle V Definitions, Animal Kennel or Hospital — the word three instead of four dogs so that the requirement will conform with the State Law and to read as follows:

Premises licensed for the harboring and/or care of more than three dogs more than six months old, or other domestic animals.

**ARTICLE 38.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money and to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow such additional funds as might be required to construct a surface drainage system under the jurisdiction of the Selectmen and Town Engineer in the so called Town Neck section of the Town in accordance with the layout plans submitted by the engineering company of Whitman and Howard, Inc., or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$102,000.00 and authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow \$550,000.00 to construct a surface drainage system under the jurisdiction of the Selectmen and Town Engineer in the so-called Town Neck section of the Town in accordance with the layout plans submitted by the Engineering Company of Whitman and Howard, Inc.

**ARTICLE 39.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Sandwich Bylaws by inserting the following new section:

**Article XVII.** The Board of Selectmen may adopt and from time to time amend reasonable regulations governing alignment, width, profile, and construction of the portions of driveways constructed within street rights-of way, so as to ensure drainage adequacy and safety of access and egress, and requiring that written permits be issued by the Board of Selectmen or a person designated by them for all future driveway entrances or relocation of existing entrances, or act relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town amend the Sandwich Town By-Laws by inserting the following new section:

**Article XVII.** The Board of Selectmen may adopt and from time to time amend reasonable regulations

governing alignment, width, profile, and construction of the portions of driveways constructed within street rights-of-way, so as to ensure drainage adequacy and safety of access and egress, and requiring that written permits be issued by the Board of Selectmen or a person designated by them for all future driveway entrances or relocation of existing entrances.

This Article was voted by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Juniper Hill as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated April 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Juniper Hill as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated April 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose. This was a hand vote; 224 for, 4 opposed.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Faunce Mountain Road and Morgan Trail as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated February 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Faunce Mountain Road and Morgan Trail as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated February 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.



ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will accept the layout of June Lane and Ida Lane as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated April 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of June Lane and Ida Lane as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated April 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will accept the layout of a portion of Surrey Lane and Horseshoe Circle as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated March 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

Dr. Wright moved, and it was seconded, that Article 43 be indefinitely postponed.

VOTED: Article 43 be indefinitely postponed. This was a hand vote; 127 yes, 82 no.

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Pinkham Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated October 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That Article 44 be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Richards moved that Article 43 be reconsidered. The motion was seconded but defeated by voice vote.



**ARTICLE 45.** To see if the Town will accept a section of Popple Bottom Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated September 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

**VOTED:** That Article 45 be indefinitely postponed. This was by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 46.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Sandwich Building Code by deleting the fee schedule under Section 6 in its entirety and substituting the following new Section 6.

For each permit issued a fee shall be paid in accordance with the following schedule, which fee shall be payable to the Town of Sandwich, and shall accompany the application.

For a one story structure	\$15.00 per sq. ft.
For a one and one-half story structure	20.00 per sq. ft.
For a two story structure	25.00 per sq. ft.

For commercial buildings fees shall be the same.

For farm buildings, at half the above prices.

Fees shall be based on the cost multiplied by .001

Example: One Story —  $26 \times 34 = 884$  sq. ft.  $\times \$15.00 = \$13,260 \times .001 = \$13.00$  fee.

For in-ground swimming pools	\$25.00
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For above ground swim. pools 24" depth or more	10.00
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Alterations — \$5.00 per room

Garages — 1-car \$7.00, 2-car \$10.00, 3-car or over \$5.00 per stall

Utility Buildings over 99 sq. ft. — \$5.00

Minimum fee shall be \$5.00

No additional fee shall be charged for occupancy permits applied for on premises where a building permit is in force. In all other cases the fee for an occupancy permit shall be \$5.00.

This Article was voted by voice vote and declared **UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED** by the Moderator, as printed above.

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to designate the following roads as Scenic Roads, as requested by the Planning Board and as provided by Section 15C of Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

Chase Road  
Great Hill Road  
Quaker Meeting House Road  
Pimlico Pond Road  
Discovery Hill Road  
Howland Lane  
Gilman Road

Dr. Ostrander, for the Finance Committee, noted that they felt more study should be given to Chase Road, Great Hill Road, Quaker Meeting House Road and Pimlico Pond Road before placing them under the terms of the regulations. He moved the article to bring it for consideration, and this was seconded.

Mr. Taylor amended the article to delete Quaker Meeting House Road.

VOTED: That the article be amended by deleting from the designated list of Scenic Roads, Quaker Meeting House Road. This was by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

VOTED: That the Town designate the following roads as Scenic Roads, as requested by the Planning Board and as provided by Section 15C of Chapter 40 of the General Laws:

Chase Road  
Great Hill Road  
Pimlico Pond Road  
Discovery Hill Road  
Howland Lane  
Gilman Road

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will authorize the Conservation Commission to acquire by purchase or otherwise for conservation purposes, certain parcels of land in the Town from the New England Merchants National Bank of Boston trustee under the will of Franklin E. Smith described as follows:

Shown on Assessors Maps -

Map 53 — Parcel E1	13 acres±
Map 53 — Parcel E12	29 acres±

Map 53 — Parcel E15	9.5 acres±
Map 54 — Parcel A6	18.5 acres±

and will appropriate a sum of money therefor, and to determine whether said appropriation shall be raised by taxation by borrowing or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town authorize the Conservation Commission to acquire by purchase or otherwise for conservation purposes, certain parcels of land in the Town from the New England Merchants National Bank of Boston, Trustee under the will of Franklin E. Smith described as follows:

Shown on Assessors Maps

Map 53 — Parcel E1	13 acres±
Map 53 — Parcel E12	29 acres±
Map 53 — Parcel E15	9.5 acres±
Map 54 — Parcel A6	18.5 acres±

and that \$5,000.00 be raised and appropriated and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow \$100,000.00 to cover the purchase price.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended under the Conservation Commission for the development and improvement of the Ryder Property to provide recreational facilities, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$80,000.00 to be expended by the Conservation Commission for the development and improvement of the Ryder Property to provide recreational facilities and further that the Conservation Commission be hereby authorized to apply for and accept any available Federal Aid for said purpose. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning By-law as follows, or act in relation thereto:

1. Revise Section 1220 by deleting the third sentence thereof and insert the following as Section 1260:  
 "1260. A performance bond of not less than \$4.00 per foot of frontage against possible costs due to erosion or damage within street rights-of-way shall be required prior to authorization of any new structure. Such bonds



may also be required by the Building Inspector for site alterations not involving new structures but potentially incurring damage within street rights-of-way. These bonds shall be held by the Town Treasurer until he is notified by the Building Inspector that on-site work and movement of heavy equipment has been completed and any damages repaired."

2. Revise Section 4232 by deleting "a Certificate of Zoning Compliance" and substituting "an Occupancy Permit", so that it reads:

"4232. That the requirements of Section 4240 (Restoration) will be complied with within six months of expiration of the building permit or issuance of an Occupancy Permit under Section 1230, or within one year of issuance of a Special Permit for filling."

3. Revise Section 4640 by deleting it in its entirety, and substituting the following therefor:

"4640. Multi-family dwellings shall have a lot area of at least ten acres, and lot area per dwelling unit at least equal to the lot area required at that location for a single family dwelling. Front and rear yards and each side yard shall equal at least 60 feet in all districts. All other requirements of Section 2600 shall be complied with."

4. Delete Section 3300 in its entirety.  
(Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Bryden, for the Planning Board, moved the Article which was seconded, and UNANIMOUSLY VOTED by voice vote as stated above.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for highway work on Town Ways in accordance with the following list, or do anything relative thereto. -

A section of Popple Bottom Road	\$4,360.00
A section of Route 130	24,752.00
A section of Tupper Road	17,920.00
Crowell Road	7,997.00
A section of Kiah's Way	15,396.00
Sidewalk construction and repairs	6,898.00

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$77,323.00 for highway work on Town Ways in accordance with the following list.



A section of Popple Bottom Road	\$4,360.00
A section of Route 130	24,752.00
A section of Tupper Road	17,920.00
Crowell Road	7,997.00
A section of Kiah's Way	15,396.00
Sidewalk construction and repairs	6,898.00

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will vote to remove charge and control of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building from the Board of Trustees of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building and place the charge and control of the Town-owned Clark-Haddad Memorial Building in the Selectmen of the Town of Sandwich at such time as the American Legion moves to their own building, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Clarence VanBuskirk moved the article be indefinitely postponed, which was seconded.

VOTED: That Article 52 be indefinitely postponed. The Moderator declared this carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to delete the following sections from the Town of Sandwich By-Laws in as much as they have since their original acceptance been included in other By-Laws of the Town and therefor are no longer required.

1. Article V — Section 5. No person shall post or affix in any manner, paint or write, or cause to be printed, painted, or written, a notice, advertisement or bill upon a post, pole, fence wall or building in the Town, unless he has previously obtained the consent of the person or persons having possession of such post, pole, fence, wall or building, or unless such person or persons have first obtained a permit from the Selectmen where Town Ways are involved. This is now included in the Sign By-Law.
2. Article X — Section 1. No person shall remove any soil, loam, sand or gravel from any land in the Town not in public use, unless such removal is authorized by a permit issued by the Board of Selectmen, except in conjunction with construction of a building on the parcel and except for the continued operation on the same parcel of an existing sand and gravel pit, or in conjunction with the continued operation of a cranberry bog. No such permit shall be issued until after an application therefor is filed with the said Board.

Said Board shall hold a public hearing on the application and notice of the filing of such application and the date and time of the public hearing thereon shall be advertised in a paper published in the county seven days at least before the public hearing.

3. Whoever violates any provision of the foregoing Section shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense. This is now included in the Protective Zoning By-Law.
4. Article X — Section 2. No new buildings shall be constructed and no alterations of any existing building which increases the floor space thereof shall be made in Sandwich unless the applicant therefor first obtains from the Board of Selectmen or its authorized representative a permit therefor for each of which permits the applicant shall pay the sum of \$1.00. Violation of this By-Law shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding \$20.00 for each offense. This is now included in the Building Code.

Dr. Ostrander moved the article as printed in the War-rant and it was seconded.

Mr. Taylor moved to amend the motion by deleting Section 2. Article X — Sections 1 and Section 3 of the article as moved. Mr. Ostrander accepted this amendment, as did the seconder of the motion.

VOTED: That the Town delete the following sections from Sandwich Town By-Laws in as much as they have since their original acceptance been included in other by-Laws of the Town and therefore are no longer required.

1. Article V — Section 5. No person shall post or affix in any manner, paint or write, or cause to be printed, painted, or written, a notice, advertisement or bill upon a post, pole, fence wall or building in the Town unless he has previously obtained the consent of the person or persons having possession of such post, pole, fence, wall or building, or unless such person or persons have first obtained a permit from the Selectmen where Town ways are involved. This is now included in the Sign By-Law.
4. Article X — Section 2. No new buildings shall be constructed and no alterations of any existing building which increases the floor space thereof shall be made

in Sandwich unless the applicant therefor first obtains from the Board of Selectmen or its authorized representative a permit therefor for each of which permits the applicant shall pay the sum of \$1.00. Violation of this By-Law shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding \$20.00 for each offense. This is now included in the Building Code.

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Sign Code By-Law as follows:

### Section 3. Administration

- (a) Delete the word Building Inspector and substitute therefor the word Sign Inspector.
- (b) Delete the word Building Inspector and substitute therefor the word Sign Inspector.
- (c) Delete the word Building Inspector and substitute therefor the word Sign Inspector.

### Section 9. Maintenance

Delete the word Building Inspector and substitute therefor the word Sign Inspector.

To fulfill the requirements of the Sign Code By-Law, the Board of Selectmen shall annually appoint a Sign Inspector to administrate and enforce the Sign Code By-Law.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Article 54 as printed in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the unexpended balance from a previous appropriation for the purpose of establishing a police prosecutor in conjunction with the Towns of Bourne and Falmouth to the police department appropriate for compensation for the Sandwich Police prosecutor, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer the unexpended balance of \$1,680.00 from a previous appropriation for the purpose of establishing a police prosecutor in conjunction with the Towns of Bourne and Falmouth to the Police Department appropriation for compensation for the Sandwich Police prosecutor.

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase with the approval of the Selectmen of a dump truck equipped for the Highway Department, or do anything relative thereto.



UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$18,500.00 for the purchase with the approval of the Selectmen of a dump truck equipped for the Highway Department.

ARTICLE 57. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift a parcel of land from Val-Leh Land Associates, Inc. shown as Lot 22, Horseshoe Circle on Plan of Galloping Hills sub-division containing an area of 20,339 square feet and to be designated for drainage purposes, or do anything relative thereto.

Mr. Wright moved indefinite postponement of the article, and the motion was seconded.

VOTED: That Article 57 be indefinitely postponed. The Moderator declared the motion carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money as a contribution to the Town of Bourne to assist in their shellfish program by reason of the privilege granted the residents of Sandwich for shellfish permits, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 as a contribution to the Town of Bourne to assist in their shellfish program by reason of the privilege granted the residents of Sandwich.

ARTICLE 59. To elect the following officers:

One Selectman for a term of three years.

One Assessor for a term of three years.

One Town Clerk for a term of three years.

One Town Treasurer for a term of three years.

One Collector of Taxes for a term of three years.

One Constable for a term of three years.

Two Members of the School Committee for a term of three years.

One Member of the Board of Health for a term of three years.

Three Trustees of the Sandwich Public Library for a term of three years.

One Trustee of the Weston Memorial Fund for a term of three years.

Two Trustees of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building for a term of three years.



One Member of the Planning Board for a term of five years.

And all other candidates that may appear on the official ballot.

The polls for the election of officers will be open at 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon on said

**THURSDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF MAY, 1974**

and will close at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

The Town Meeting adjourned at 11:50 P.M. to vote on Thursday, May 9, 1974.

**VOTED:**

**SELECTMAN**

John Louis Roberti	767
Horace E. Carr	958
Henry Buckley	1
Blanks	27
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Total	1753

**ASSESSOR**

John Louis Roberti	770
Horace E. Carr	972
Henry Buckley	1
Blanks	10
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Total	1753

**TOWN CLERK**

Channing E. Hoxie	1541
Daisy Vance	2
David Wright	4
Richard Cahoon	1
Robert Whearty	1
Ernest Ciafella	1
Chief Strongbow	1
Barbara Walling	1
Blanks	201
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Total	1753

## TREASURER

Channing E. Hoxie	1527
Daisy Vance	2
David Wright	4
A. Frieling	1
R. Cahoon	1
R. Whearty	1
E. Ciarfella	1
Blanks	216
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Total	1753

## TAX COLLECTOR

Channing E. Hoxie	1520
Daisy Vance	2
David Wright	4
John Canady	1
R. Whearty	1
D. Bowie	2
E. Ciarfella	1
Blanks	222
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Total	1753

## CONSTABLE

George E. Elvander	1512
F. Ellis	1
R. Whearty	1
E. Serodio	1
Wm. McBride	1
Walter Cahoon	1
Roy Cahoon	1
Roger Erickson	1
Roger Davis	2
James Swift	1
C. F. Jenkins	1
Charles Maley	1
Blanks	229
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Total	1753

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Roland F. DeConto	1102
Betty E. Bridges	1211

Beulah Southworth	1
Richard Canning, Jr.	1
Ellen Shriver	1
Frank Zappa	1
Joseph Vaudo	1
Bob Ellis	1
James Foley	1
Robert Whearty	1
Henry Buckley	1
Miriam Wilharm	1
Blanks	1183

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Total	3506
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#### BOARD OF HEALTH

Robert H. Ellis	1484
Clint Dunbar	1
Roy Lovell	2
Edwin Gibbs III	1
Blanks	265

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Total	1753
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#### PLANNING BOARD

Jonathan D. Fitch	961
Pearl Rosser	615
Beulah Southworth	1
Brian Gallant	1
Miriam Willharm	1
Todd Rundgren	1
Sandra Swift	1
Blanks	172

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Total	1753
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#### TRUSTEE OF SANDWICH PUBLIC LIBRARY

Howard J. Carlson	1425
Clara Nye Field	1274
Russell A. Scully	1262
Christine Mitchell	1
Sheri Russell	1
E. Ciarfella	1
E. Bartlett McKay	1
Blanks	1294

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Total	5259
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## TRUSTEE OF WESTON MEMORIAL FUNDS

Howard J. Carlson	1480
Elaine McKay	1
William McBride	1
James Swift	1
C. Durand	1
Roger Davis	1
Blanks	268
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Total	1753

TRUSTEE OF CLARK HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING —  
VETERAN

Carl E. Leino	1463
Claire Dunbar	1
Robert Whearty	1
Eugene Morrow	1
William McBride	1
James Foley	1
Alice Cooper	2
M. Mooney	1
Blanks	282
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Total	1753

TRUSTEE OF CLARK HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING —  
NON-VETERAN

Dennis A. Earle	1460
William McBride	1
Donald Ahonen	1
F. M. Earle	1
Robert Quirk	1
Ray Cahoon	1
James Swift	1
M. Mooney	1
Blanks	286
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Total	1753

A true record of the Annual Town Meeting and Election  
of 1974.

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk



# 1974 State Primary

September 10, 1974

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Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the polls opened at 10:00 A.M. The Ballot Box was checked and the counter set at zero. The ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and the following Election Officers were administered an oath to faithful performance of their duties.

## Ballot Clerks

Hilda E. Whitmore  
Margaret M. Carlson  
Louise P. Ludlow  
Doris M. McNamara

## Warden

B. Harlow Morrow

## Checkers

Helen I. Palmer  
Mary A. Earle  
Betty E. Bridges  
Mabel M. L. George

## Deputy Warden

Lester E. Gary

## Ballot Box

Frederick A. Morey

## Counters

James VanBuskirk  
Walter R. Alvezi  
Eleanor O. Bangs  
Elsie H. Dalton  
Louise A. Velsor  
Corinne H. Hines  
Merilyn Myers  
Willard O. Bryden  
S. Vera Whidden  
Estelle Duncan  
Barbara Gill  
Antoinette L. Gleason

## REPUBLICAN 434 Votes Cast

### GOVERNOR

Francis W. Sargent	240
Carroll P. Sheehan	188
Michael S. Dukakis	1
Blanks	5
Total	434

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### LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Donald R. Dwight	374
Blanks	60
Total	434

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## ATTORNEY GENERAL

Charles C. Cabot, Jr.	105
William I. Cowin	72
Josiah A. Spaulding	240
Blanks	17
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Total	434

## SECRETARY

John M. Quinlan	364
Ballantine	2
Blanks	68
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Total	434

## TREASURER

Ballantine	53
Forrest A. Eaton	1
Blanks	380
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Total	434

## AUDITOR

Blanks	434
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Total	434

## CONGRESSMAN (12th Dist.)

J. Alan MacKay	346
Blanks	88
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Total	434

## COUNCILLOR

Jean T. Mayo	338
Blanks	96
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Total	434

## SENATOR

John F. Aylmer	389
Blanks	45
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Total	434

## REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Bernard Wilber	345
Horace E. Carr	2
David Persson	2
Blanks	85

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Total	434
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## DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Philip A. Rollins	365
Blanks	69

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Total	434
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## COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Edward A. Crowell	282
Emulous E. Hall	94
Forrest A. Eaton	18
Blanks	40

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Total	434
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## SHERIFF

John J. Bowes	365
Blanks	69

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Total	434
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## COUNTY COMMISSIONER (To Fill Vacancy)

Charles W. Eager	200
Allan F. Jones	175
Forrest A. Eaton	6
Blanks	53

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Total	434
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**DEMOCRATIC 276 Votes Cast**

## GOVERNOR

Michael S. Dukakis	191
Robert H. Quinn	82
Blanks	3

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Total	276
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## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Eva B. Hester	54
Christopher A. Iannella	70
John Pierce Lynch	21
Thomas P. O'Neill III	82
Thomas Martin Sullivan	19
Blanks	30
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Total	276

## ATTORNEY GENERAL

Francis X. Bellotti	106
Barry T. Hannon	16
Edward F. Harrington	49
Edward M. O'Brien	17
S. Lester Ralph	28
George L. Sacco	51
Blanks	9
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Total	276

## SECRETARY

John F. X. Davoren	85
Paul H. Guzzi	169
Blanks	22
Total	276
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## TREASURER

Robert Q. Crane	128
Charles Mark Furcolo	122
Blanks	26
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Total	276

## AUDITOR

Thaddeus Buczko	208
Blanks	68
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Total	276

## CONGRESSMAN

Gerry E. Studds	247
Blanks	29
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Total	276



**COUNCILLOR**

John Britland	52
Henry Correia	32
Gino DiNucci	28
Manuel Perry	20
William H. Perry	55
Blanks	89
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Total	276
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**SENATOR**

Eugene H. Morrow	1
Blanks	275
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Total	276

**REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT**

Forrest A. Eaton	1
Richard Glynn	1
Blanks	274
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Total	276

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY**

Blanks	276
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Total	276

**COUNTY COMMISSIONER**

Alan Jones	2
Forrest A. Eaton	24
Robert Baker	2
Blanks	248
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Total	276

**SHERIFF**

Robert C. Baker	13
James Foley	1
Forrest A. Eaton	2
Raymond Wood	1
Blanks	259
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Total	276

## COUNTY COMMISSIONER (To Fill Vacancy)

Richard O. Staff	154
Forrest A. Eaton	3
Blanks	119
Total	276

The Polls were closed at 8:00 P.M.

The total vote cast was 710. 434 Republicans  
276 Democrats

The Voting Lists of Checkers and Ballot Clerks were checked and found in order and the ballot box counter agreed with these lists.

There were eight Absentee Ballots cast.

I certify that this is a true record of the 1974 State Primary held in Sandwich on September 10, 1974.

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk of Sandwich

The total number of registered voters at the close of registration prior to election was 3233.

888 Republicans  
520 Democrats  
1825 Independents

# 1974 State Election

November 5, 1974

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Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the polls opened at 8:00 o'clock A.M. The ballot box was checked and the counter set at zero. The ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and the following Election Officers were administered an oath to faithful performance of their duties:

## Ballot Clerks

Hilda E. Whitmore  
Margaret M. Carlson  
Louise P. Ludlow  
Doris M. McNamara

## Checkers

Cecile C. Bazzinotti  
Mary A. Earle  
Virginia B. Glover  
Mabel M. L. George  
Jane E. Ellis

## Ballot Box

Frederick A. Morey

## Warden

B. Harlow Morrow

## Deputy Warden

Lester E. Geary

## Counters

Alice C. Beauchemin  
Ruth M. Jamison  
S. Vera Whidden  
Helen C. Wholey  
Joan Erickson  
Julia C. Handy  
Eleanor O. Bangs  
Willard O. Bryden  
Marguerite A. Casey  
Walter R. Alvezi  
Louise A. Velsor  
Lydia F. Borjeson  
Barbara L. Gill  
Antoinette L. Gleason  
Marilyn Myers  
Blanche L. Skelly

The result of the balloting was as follows:

1 GOVERNOR & LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR		
Sargent & Dwight — Republican		1202
Dukakis & O'Neill — Democratic		974
Gurewitz & Bivins — Socialist Workers		15
Kahian & Greco — American Party		74
Blanks		23
Total		2288

## 1 ATTORNEY GENERAL

Francis X. Bellotti — Democratic	720
Josiah A. Spaulding — Republican	1507
Jeanne Lafferty — Socialist Workers	33
Judith Nathanson	1
Blanks	27

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Total	2288
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## 1 SECRETARY

Paul H. Guzzi — Democratic	1032
John M. Quinlan — Republican	1191
Blanks	65

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Total	2288
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## 1 TREASURER

Robert Q. Crane — Democratic	1735
Bruce Torrey	1
Blanks	552

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Total	2288
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## 1 AUDITOR

Thaddeus Buczko — Democratic	1721
Blanks	567

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Total	2288
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## 1 CONGRESSMAN — 12th District

Gerry E. Studds — Democratic	1424
J. Alan MacKay — Republican	831
Blanks	33

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Total	2288
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## 1 COUNCILLOR — 1st District

John Britland — Democratic	710
Jean T. Mayo — Republican	1336
Watts Biggers	1
Blanks	241

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Total	2288
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1 SENATOR — Cape, Plymouth & Islands District		
John F. Aylmer — Republican	1861	
Blanks	427	
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Total	2288	
1 REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT —		
1st Barnstable District		
Bernard Wilber — Republican	1724	
H. Carr	2	
J. K. Gourley	1	
Blanks	561	
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Total	2288	
1 DISTRICT ATTORNEY — Cape & Islands District		
Philip A. Rollins — Republican	1765	
Blanks	523	
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Total	2288	
1 COUNTY COMMISSIONER — Barnstable County		
Edward A. Crowell — Republican	1710	
Alan Jones	1	
Richard Nixon	1	
Forrest Eaton	1	
Blanks	575	
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Total	2288	
1 SHERIFF — Barnstable County		
John J. Bowes — Republican	1736	
Eugene Morrow	1	
William Foster	1	
Edmund Serodio	1	
Louis Cataldo	1	
James Simpson	1	
Blanks	547	
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Total	2288	
1 COUNTY COMMISSIONER — Barnstable County		
(To Fill Vacancy)		
Charles W. Eager — Republican	1212	

Richard O. Staff — Democratic	853
Alan Jones	1
Forrest Eaton	1
Blanks	221
<b>Total</b>	<b>2288</b>

### QUESTION NO. 1

#### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held August 25, 1971, received 212 votes in the affirmative and 39 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held June 6, 1973, received 235 votes in the affirmative and 19 in the negative?

(For Summary see Original Warrant in this Book)

Yes	1345
No	625
Blanks	318

### QUESTION NO. 2

#### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held August 25, 1971, received 177 votes in the affirmative and 65 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held June 6, 1973, received 166 votes in the affirmative and 93 in the negative?

(For Summary see Original Warrant in this Book)

Yes	1606
No	342
Blanks	340

### QUESTION NO. 3

#### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 7, 1972, received 250 votes in the affirmative and 3 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held

June 6, 1973, received 253 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative?

(For Summary see Original Warrant in this Book)

Yes	887
No	1025
Blanks	376

#### QUESTION NO. 4

##### LAW PROPOSED BY AN INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held May 17, 1972, received 131 votes in the affirmative and 121 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 8, 1974, received 139 votes in the affirmative and 119 in the negative?

(For Summary see Original Warrant in this Book)

Yes	1114
No	824
Blanks	350

#### QUESTION NO. 5

##### LAW PROPOSED BY AN INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 73 in the affirmative and 150 in the negative and was disapproved in the Senate by a vote of 16 in the affirmative and 22 in the negative?

(For Summary see Original Warrant in this Book)

Yes	1288
No	609
Blanks	391

#### QUESTION NO. 6

Should the General Court enact legislation during the nineteen hundred and seventy-five session reorganizing state government by creating a Department of Health Systems Regulation which shall have the power to administer the medicaid program, control and set rates for nursing homes, hospitals, and other health providers under medicaid, li-

cense and inspect health facilities, and regulate private health insurance policies, medical and hospital service plans?

Yes	1521
No	467
Blanks	300

#### QUESTION NO. 7

"Shall an act passed by the general court in the current year entitled 'An Act providing for the inventory, measuring and researching of the quality and quantity of the ground water of Barnstable County, and authorizing the county commissioners of said county to borrow money therefor' be accepted?"

Yes	1459
No	537
Blanks	292

#### QUESTION NO. 8

"Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled 'An Act establishing the Old King's Highway Regional Historic District and the Old King's Highway Regional Historical District Commission in Barnstable County' be accepted?"

Yes	1557
No	551
Blanks	180

The polls were closed at 8:00 o'clock P.M. The total vote cast was 2288, which included 50 absentee ballots.

The voting lists of Checkers and Ballot Clerks were checked and found in order and these lists agreed with the ballot box counter.

I certify that this is a true record of the 1974 State Election held in Sandwich on November 5, 1974.

CHANNING E. HOXIE

Town Clerk

The total number of registered voters at the close of registration prior to the election was 3375.



## Report of the Planning Board

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

In previous annual reports the Planning Board has presented staggering statistics relative to the number of new subdivisions and the many hundreds of additional lots available for the construction of new dwellings in Sandwich. Our 1974 report is certainly different in this respect. In the first six months there were seven scheduled hearings for subdivision approval. In the latter half of the year only one petitioner appeared before the board with a definitive plan for approval. The total number of lots approved during the entire year was 243 as contrasted with 1,889 lots in 1973 and more than 2500 lots in 1972. Although this slow-down in the pace of development in our town is in part attributable to general economic conditions, many of us hope that it also indicates a trend toward a more stable growth rate which will be less likely to out-strip the ability of our various town services to accommodate all the new citizens.

Undoubtedly the most important event of the year with respect to community planning in Sandwich and in the other north shore villages was the adoption of legislation providing for a new Historic District extending from the Mid-Cape Highway north to Cape Cod Bay. In the past much time and energy had been expended by the Planning Board in an effort to prevent the destruction of the scenic beauty of the Cranberry Highway which winds through the entire length of our town. It now seems reasonable to believe that the controlled commercial development of this Historic District area will not substantially detract from its antique charm and attractive vistas. As a result of this legislation, the newly formed Sandwich Historic District Committee has become one of the busiest boards in town government.

Alan W. Jones, an interim appointee to the Board, did not choose to be a candidate to succeed himself for a full term. In the March, 1974 annual town election Attorney Jonathan D. Fitch was elected to a 5-year term and is now completing his first year of service. In contrast to the situ-

ation in some other towns, our members are all deeply concerned with the work of the Board so that it is most unusual for even one member to be absent from a meeting and there is always a quorum present for the orderly transaction of planning board business. In compliance with statutory requirements all meetings are open to the press and public and interested townspeople are always welcome to attend.

As in past years, the Board has leaned heavily on Town Engineer William C. Taylor for guidance in the many technical engineering problems which arise every time a new definitive plan of a subdivision is presented. Mr. Taylor and the members of his staff also provide the necessary supervision of the construction work in connection with roads and utilities in the development to ensure compliance with our subdivision regulations. We are also grateful to Mrs. Harold I. Palmer, our executive secretary, who attends all our meetings and maintains the records which are vital to the satisfactory performance of our Board.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. BRYDEN, Chairman  
DAVID W. ALLEN  
JOHN A. COE  
CHESTER E. CROSS  
JONATHAN D. FITCH

## Report of the Board of Appeals

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To the Honorable Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

During the year, 67 applications were advertised. Six of these were withdrawn before the hearing, leaving 61 applications to be heard. Four applications required both a Variance and a Special Permit. Of these, three were withdrawn after the hearing and on the other the variance was denied and the Special Permit granted.

Of ten Variances applied for, seven were granted and three denied; 41 Special Permits were granted and four denied.

These figures represent about a 45% decrease from the previous year.

Twenty-five applications were required solely under Section 4340, which states that no person shall remove, fill, dredge, or build upon any bank, marsh, swamp, or flat bordering on coastal or inland waters or any other land subject to tidal action or coastal storm flowage without a Special Permit from the Board of Appeals. After the Board of Appeals Hearing, the petitioner must file a request for a determination of the applicability of the Wetland Protection Act and often a letter of intent for the Conservation Commission. To the members of the Board of Appeals, this seems a duplication of the same requirements and since it is under the jurisdiction of the Conservation Commission, the Board of Appeals feels that Section 4340 should be deleted from the Zoning By-Law. This would not in any way affect Section 4300, the Lowland and Dune Requirements.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ROBERTI, Chairman



## Report of the Police Department

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

As Chief of Police, I respectfully submit my report for the year 1974.

For the twelve month period, the Town of Sandwich showed an alarming increase in property crimes. Breaking and entering rose almost 70% from 80 to 134. Larcenies rose over 60% from 165 to 285.

We are not alone in our plight. Recent FBI statistics show communities of less than ten thousand inhabitants to have the fastest growing crime rate in the country. Also, unfortunately, the economic downturn is a factor in the increasing crime rate.

While the department has intensified its patrol and investigative efforts, much can be done by the individual homeowner and businessman to protect himself.

Reporting of suspicious persons, vehicles and incidents is of major importance for your own protection as well as your neighbor's. Please Call!

Take advantage of the crime prevention services offered by our police department: operation identification, neighborhood watch, as well as our usual housechecking service.

Crime prevention and burglary prevention literature is available at the police station, and trained officers are available for burglary prevention surveys of home and businesses.

While we will never completely stop crime in our community, your police department and an alert and involved citizenry can cooperate to reduce the number of crimes and increase the chance of apprehension. Remember, crime prevention is a cooperative effort, between the police and the public.

During the year 1974 the Sandwich Police Department investigated a total of 3700 police incidents, up 10% from 3380 in 1973.

North Sandwich (Scusset and Sagamore Beach) was the location of 135 incidents, Sandwich Village 2012, East Sandwich 756, South Sandwich 333, and Forestdale 464.



681 occurred between 12:00 M. and 8:00 A.M., 1400 between 8:00 A.M. and 4 P.M. and 1619 between 4:00 P.M. and 12:00 M.

Saturday was the busiest day with 611, followed by Friday 548, Sunday 539, Monday 519, Tuesday 511, Thursday 500 and Wednesday 472.

Vandalism, a major problem, increased over 40% from 114 to 165. Other crimes investigated included assault and battery 32, arson 1, attempted arson 1, attempted larceny 3, attempted breaking and entering 31, suicide 1, larceny of a motor vehicle 1, receiving stolen property 9, possession of burglar tools 1, possession of drugs 21, assault with a dangerous weapon 3, assault on a police officer 1, possession of a firearm without a license 1, stolen vehicles recovered 8, rape 3, forgery 1, auto theft 10, fraud 11. The remaining incidents were of a minor criminal, service, assistance or non-criminal nature.

245 arrests were made, 1728 motor vehicle citations issued, of which 954 were warnings and 774 required court action. 182 incapacitated persons were held in protective custody, to be later released or turned over to the detoxification center at Pocasset.

421 burglar alarms were answered. All but two were false. 184 auto accidents were investigated, up slightly from 175 in 1973. Two persons were killed. 64 accidents involved personal injury. 120 were property damage only. Rte. 6A accounted for 67, almost 40% of all accidents investigated.

Assistance rendered totaled 994. Included were assistance to the Fire Department and ambulance 323, disabled motorists 81, elderly citizens 42, miscellaneous 28, mentally disturbed persons 12, homeowners 26, medical 21, other Law Enforcement Agencies 175, 44 money escorts, 93 emergency messages delivered, transportation 92, civil matters 44, town departments 13.

Officers completed 18,181 housechecks, found 442 homes and businesses unlocked, served 251 summonses. 120 Firearms ID cards, 9 liquor ID cards and 94 pistol permits were issued by the department.

The Department returned \$1,689.50 to the Town Treasurer for the sale of Firearms Licenses and copies of police reports sold to insurance companies and attorneys.

588 calls were relayed to the Dog and Conservation Officer from the police communication center.

The department was awarded, at no cost to the town, a new radar speed device, by the Governor's Highway Safety Committee in recognition of the Town's efforts toward accident reduction and enforcement of the traffic laws.

Intensifying its training effort, the department sent Sgt's Clyde S. Gill, Roger T. Davis and George E. Elvander to the Police Command Training Institute at Babson College in Wellesley.

Sgt. E. Bartlett McKay completed the advance management course, also held at Babson.

Patrolmen Ronald W. Nurse and Michael R. Walker completed the State Police sponsored course for certification as Breathalyzer operators. Sgt. Clyde S. Gill was promoted to Acting Lieutenant, effective December 22, 1974.

I would like to thank the Selectmen, other Town departments, other Law Enforcement agencies, my own officers, and of course, the citizens of Sandwich, for the excellent cooperation and assistance shown the department this year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT D. WHEARTY, JR.,  
Chief of Police

## Report of the Fire Engineers

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Board of Selectmen,  
Town Hall,  
Sandwich, Mass.

The Annual Report of the Sandwich Fire Department for the year 1974 is submitted herewith.

Following is a breakdown of alarms and related activities of the department during the past year.

Building fires (approximate loss \$32,450.00)	24
Car and truck fires (approx. loss \$14,725.00)	27
Grass and woods fires (approximate 20 acres)	47
Dump fires	6
Miscellaneous fires	19
Mutual aid	7
False alarms	7
Rescue calls	20
Investigations:	
Smoke and fire	49
Automatic alarms	23
Burning without permit	7
Motor Vehicle accidents	30
Miscellaneous	42
Assistance rendered:	
Elderly	20
Cellars pumped	14
Lockouts	25
Miscellaneous	63
Washdowns gas and oil	20
Bomb scares	4
Ambulance calls	422
Standbys	29
Oil burner installations inspected	100
Hose laid	Extinguishers used 19
3 inch	1,750 ft.
2½ inch	1,650 ft.
1½ inch	7,950 ft.
Booster	4,150 ft.



The growth of the town is reflected in the total of 905 responses for the year, an increase of 27% over the previous year. This includes a total of 422 ambulance runs, up 102 over 1973 an increase of 32%. All indications point to the fact that a continuing increase in demands for emergency services will keep pace with the growth of the town.

The addition to the Headquarters Station, authorized at the 1974 town meeting was completed on schedule within the authorized appropriation. Department equipment was moved into this much needed space shortly after Labor Day.

Work on rebuilding the tractor unit, obtained through Civil Defense, as a brush breaker-tanker was completed and the unit placed in service at Station 3 in Forestdale.

The Chief's car which was authorized by the town meeting was purchased and placed in service in mid summer. In addition to providing a more suitable vehicle for the chief in carrying out his daily assignments, it has been used on several occasions to provide emergency transportation due to unavailability of the ambulance.

A new radio console has been installed at headquarters which will provide for more efficient department communications. The reception area has been renovated and painted with much of the work being done by the permanent men.

Following a year of negotiations a 2 year contract with the Sandwich Permanent Firefighters, Local 2196 International Association of Firefighters AFL-CIO was signed on July 29.

The contract calls for a salary schedule for Firefighters starting at \$8,850. for a nine months probationary period and continuing in four steps to \$10,250. Salary of Lieutenants to be \$11,250. The Chiefs salary is set by legislation at 1.8 times that of the highest paid Firefighter. The salary schedule effective July 1, 1975 to be adjusted by the cost of Living Index as established by the Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics. Based on an average 56 hour work week, the salary schedule and working conditions are in line with the area generally.

During the past summer examinations were held for three lieutenants. On the basis of these examinations Dennis Newman, Herbert Stewart and Thomas Manley were ap-



pointed by the Selectmen, their appointments to become effective January 1, 1975.

An application has been made through the Office of Emergency Medical Service, Massachusetts Department of Public Health for a new modular type ambulance which will meet the new state and federal requirements. If the application is approved state and federal funds up to \$12,000 will be available. The Board of Engineers recommend that the balance of the cost be underwritten from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds.

In view of the increasing demands on the department for ambulance service, it is recommended that the present vehicle be retained as an emergency backup unit.

During the past year six permanent firefighters have taken and passed the 80 hour Emergency Medical Training course. It is expected that by the end of 1975 all permanent firefighters as well as several members of the call force will have successfully completed this intensive program. Successful completion of this course qualifies these men as ambulance attendants under the so called Ambulance Law.

In addition to the Emergency Medical Training program, both permanent and call personnel have taken special courses devoted to Fire Sciences and related subjects. Drills for all department personnel have been held on a regular bi-monthly basis.

As to the properties under the jurisdiction of the fire department, Station 2 in East Sandwich and Station 3 in Forestdale are generally in good condition. The Headquarters Station will shortly have to be reshingled. The present shingles date back to original construction. The rear ell of this building also needs attention. The Engineers recommend that aluminum or vinyl siding be used as it is believed that these materials will better withstand the effects of the northeast storms to which this section of the building is exposed.

Both the East Sandwich and Forestdale stations were manned during the daytime hours in July and August by one firefighter. Present plans contemplate similar coverage during the 1975 summer season.

After many years of faithful service at Station 3, Lieutenant Herbert Weaver resigned from the department on

August 4. Named to replace him as call lieutenant at station 3 was Richard Farrar of Forestdale.

The Board of Engineers has been advised that as a result of the survey it requested be made by the Insurance Services Office, Sandwich has been reclassified from a Class D to a Class C rating. This more favorable rating results primarily from extension of service by the Water District and improvements in the fire department both in equipment and manpower.

Once again we remind Sandwich citizens that decals which may be affixed to the telephone instrument, giving the fire or emergency ambulance number are available at fire headquarters. For FIRE or EMERGENCY AMBULANCE this number is 888-2323. For routine business calls the number to use is 888-0525.

In making emergency calls please remain as calm as possible. Give your name, address and type of emergency. This information is vital to the fast response to your call.

The Board of Fire Engineers express thanks and appreciation to our neighboring towns for the valuable assistance extended through mutual aid during the past year. The Board also gratefully acknowledges the cooperation and assistance of town departments and officials who have been of assistance in many ways.

Respectfully submitted,

Chief FERDINAND L. ALVEZI, Chmn.

W. GORDON SWAN, Clerk

EUGENE H. MORROW

GEORGE H. CRAWFORD

WILLIAM W. WARD

Board of Fire Engineers

## Forest Warden Department

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Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The following report of the Forest Warden Department is herewith submitted for the time period of 1-1-74 through 12-31-74.

Below is the breakdown of alarms responded to by the Forest Warden's Department, also the fire permits issued:

Woods, Brush and Grass Fires	47
Approximately 22 acres total	
Dump Fires	6
Cooking Permits	266
Brush Permits	192
Smoke Investigations	17
Burning Violations	7

Only one woods fire of any proportion occurred this year and it burned approximately 10 acres. The remaining fires were small and each fire burned only one quarter of an acre or less.

The Massachusetts Department of Environmental Health allowed restricted brush burning for one month starting 2-15-74 and ending 3-15-74. A total of 192 permits for burning brush were issued during this time period.

I would like to express my appreciation to all the people and Town Departments who assisted me during the past year. I would also like to thank the Fire Departments of our surrounding towns who responded to my calls for Mutual Aid.

Respectfully submitted,

FERDINAND L. ALVEZI,  
Chief Forest Warden



## Report of the Tree Warden and Insect Pest Control Superintendent

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

In the past year 30 trees were removed because of Dutch elm disease. Recently there has been a great deal of publicity for an injection treatment of Dutch elm disease using nystatin. However, as in previous attempts to control the disease, this one has also proven unsuccessful. An evaluation of the Lowden formulation was done by plant pathologists from the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station. Their findings indicate that once the fungus becomes established by even as short a time as a few days, the treatment is unable to prevent its spread throughout the tree. Moreover, because the fungicide, nystatin, is not stable, it is not effective as a protective treatment. The scientists concluded that the Lowden formulation would have to be injected repeatedly or continuously in order to be effective. However, they have suggested a more stable fungicide for use on the elms, so work goes on, and we can continue to hope that the disease will eventually be brought under control.

This information was received from the Shade Tree Lab, University of Massachusetts. We receive information continuously from the Lab and at the present time this Department is using the spray material Methoxychlor, which is recommended by the Lab for the control of Dutch elm disease.

Thirty trees were planted to replace elms removed. Wherever possible we plant them where the trees were removed; however, when the grass strip is too narrow or the road has been widened, there sometimes isn't room to plant another tree. Some of the trees we have been taking down were planted in the days of the dirt roads and asphalt has taken over. There sometimes are opportunities to plant back from the road. General Laws c. 87 § 7 gives us this right:

**Section 7.** Towns may appropriate money to be expended by the tree warden in planting shade trees



in the public ways, or if he deems it expedient, upon adjoining land, at a distance not exceeding twenty feet from said public ways, for the purpose of improving, protecting, shading or ornamenting the same; provided, that the written consent of the owner of such adjoining land shall first be obtained.

A number of trees were planted this year under this provision.

Vandalism is increasing. Last year of the 30 trees planted, three were replacements for trees which were established two and three years, when they were destroyed by vandals. Two more such trees will have to be replaced this spring.

The seventeen year locust finally arrived, after being predicted for the past two years. It was thought that they would do considerable damage, but they didn't, just a little natural tree pruning in the Forestdale-Wakeby area.

Again this year, I can report that the gypsy moth seems to be under control in the Town of Sandwich. They could flare up at any time and we will closely watch the situation.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. ELLIS

## Report of the Shellfish Constable

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

Throughout the summer of 1974, 20 bushels of seed clams and 75 bushels of medium and large quahogs were planted in the Old Harbor Area at a total cost of \$850.00.

It was recommended by the State to close the area this winter to promote the propagation of the shellfish. The area has been open for the taking of mussels only. This summer I plan to continue planting clams and quahogs.

In November of 1975 the area will be open on Sundays only for the taking of shellfish. It will close on the last Sunday in December and re-open on Sundays again during the months of March and April.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the men who volunteered their services in the planting of the shellfish.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE MORROW  
Shellfish Constable

## Report of the Dog & Conservation Officer

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

Herewith submitted is the annual report for the activities of the Town of Sandwich Dog Officer:

Dog and Conservation Calls	879
Unrestrained dogs	393
Dogs impounded	135
Lost dogs returned	150
Dog bites	19
Dog accidents	34
Dogs killed	10
Dogs injured	24
Cat bites	3
Cats killed	5
Dogs turned over to M.S.P.C.A.	34
Cats turned over to M.S.P.C.A.	6
Vicious dogs	22
Dogs licensed (100 more than 1973)	1026
Reminders sent of Failure to Secure License	500
Written warnings for unrestrained dogs	74
Subsequent court actions	8

In March, 1973, the voters of Sandwich at Town Meeting approved a motion requesting the Selectmen to enforce a year-round Leash Law for the Town's dogs. It has been my duty to enforce this edict, plus already existing laws of licensing and inoculation.

The majority of complaint calls are caused by dogs trespassing on neighbors or public property. All dogs picked up by the Dog Officer for this violation will cost the owner an initial \$5.00, plus \$2.00 per day custody and care. After 7 days, if the dog is not claimed, it is turned over to the M.S.P.C.A.

Also, herewith, the 1974 report of the Fish, Game and Conservation Officer:

Raccoon complaints	6
Skunk complaints	9
Injured seagulls	3
Deer killed by M. V.'s	7
Deer chased by dogs	4
Violations of Wet Lands Act	
(Assisting Conservation Comm.)	3
Fresh-water fishing complaints	3
Hunting Complaints	14
Lobster complaints	8

In the performance of my responsibilities, including patrol of parks, beaches, and conservation areas, I have logged 17,000 miles this year.

I would like to thank the following for their assistance:

The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
The Fire and Police Departments' personnel  
The Conservation Commission  
The Barnstable Conservation Officer  
The State D. N. R.  
and, the M. S. P. C. A.

Besides these departments, the support from Sandwich residents has made it easier to perform my duties more effectively.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS G. SILVA,  
Dog and Conservation Officer



## Report of the Conservation Commission

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

In 1974 the Commission's emphasis shifted from large land acquisitions to the management and development of its present holdings. This entailed the engaging of a work crew and the purchase of a Gravelly tractor, chain saw, brush cutter and other tools.

The first major project was the preparation of the Briar Patch property for the dedication in August in honor of the Thornton W. Burgess centennial year. Commissioner Brownell of the Department of Natural Resources and members of the Burgess family took part in the ceremony. An entrance area on Gully Lane was cleared and fenced and covered with wood chips, a boulder with a memorial bronze plaque installed, also a shelter for a map of the area; paths were cut throughout the property, with benches placed in appropriate places; paths named and signs erected, and plant material labelled. The Commission is grateful to the Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee and to the many other interested citizens who contributed so much to this undertaking.

Title to the Ryder property was acquired in September, 1974 and work began shortly thereafter. The Barnstable County Conservation District has assisted in development plans for the area. Mr. William Taylor, Town Engineer, laid out the access roads with a view to saving all important trees and helped with the siting of the future bathhouse. The work crew commenced the brushing out of the borders of the road layout and cut up any suitable trees for firewood, to be used by the Town in the Hoxie House. The roof of the old screen house has been repaired in preparation for its use as a Nature Interpretation Center. Nature trails near it have been tentatively laid out along the lake shore line and the cranberry bogs.

On the other side of the Cotuit Road an area of approximately an acre has been cleared for a nursery, as a source of trees for Town use when they have attained sufficient size. About 1,500 tree seedlings, some donated and some purchased, were received from the Barnstable County Conservation District. Two hundred black pines were planted

at Old Harbor and Sandy Neck beach areas and some *rosa rugosa* and autumn olives. 1,000 seedlings have been ordered for 1975.

With a work crew and equipment at our disposal, we have been able to keep Brady's Island mowed and shrubbery borders weeded, the paths brushed out on Talbot's Point and underbrush cleared on the Bridges Area on Sandy Neck Road.

The Advisory Landscape Council planted two lilacs and seven apple trees on Brady's Island.

Bronze plaques to be set in boulders have been made to mark the Discovery Hill entrance to the Briar Patch, the entrance to the Ryder property and the Old Harbor Beach area. Signs protecting the tern nesting grounds were erected in the spring at the western end of this beach.

Four parcels of woodland were purchased from the New England Merchants National Bank of Boston, trustees under the will of Franklin E. Smith. These total seventy acres and supplement present holdings. This purchase was approved at Town Meeting on May 6, 1974.

The Barnstable County Conservation District completed the Natural Resources Program Study and the Soil Survey of Sandwich, recommended by the Commission.

We have applied to the Pilgrim Area Resource Conservation and Development Program (R C & D) to do a study of the town saltmarsh areas. This will be done at no cost to the Town and should prove helpful in the management of marsh lands.

This year, at last, much time was devoted to the administration of the Wetlands Act (Chapter 131, Section 40 of the General Laws). Fifty sites were visited in order to determine whether a hearing was necessary; five public hearings were held and Orders of Conditions issued; one application was denied and two denials under the old Jones Act reaffirmed.

The chairman and other members attended a number of meetings on conservation-related subjects, among them the Soil Conservation Service meeting of the County District, held at the Town Hall and the River Basin and Coastal Zone meetings at the Cape Cod Community College.

In October the resignation of James J. George was accepted with regret. Mr. George was a valuable member of the Commission for a long period of time, with great dedi-

cation to the cause of conservation and a life-long familiarity with all areas of the town.

In December Bernard C. DiPietro's resignation was also regretfully accepted. He had served the Commission for many years, formerly as chairman, during which time the first large land acquisitions were made: Talbot's Point, Brady's Island and the Friends' Meeting Area.

Mr. Gary A. Nickerson of Almy Avenue, Sandwich was appointed in place of Mr. George.

We appreciate the continued cooperation and support of the Selectmen, the Town Hall staff and the citizens of Sandwich.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ALBERT TORREY, Chairman  
JOHN M. MENDONZA, Vice-Chairman  
MEREDITH W. BOURNE, Secretary  
PETER C. MEINL  
GARY A. NICKERSON  
DANIEL E. POTTER

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## Report of the Veterans' Graves Officer

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

A complete listing of the Service Persons was made of each Cemetery in the Township and a typed listing was presented to the Board of Selectmen at the end of the year.

As usual, with the able assistance of the members of the Clark-Haddad Post #188 and the Sandwich Boy Scouts, the flagging of the gravesites was completed for Memorial Day.

We still have to 'fish' the marker out of the stream by the Town Hall, but at least we know about where to recover it. It does seem rather strange that this only happens during the Summer months.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. CURRIER  
Veterans' Graves Officer



## Report of the Building Inspector

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich Massachusetts

With the addition of the new Junior-Senior High School and the renovations to the Henry T. Wing Elementary School, the overall estimated value of building permits issued brought in a record total of \$15,077,853.00, an increase of approximately seven million over the year 1973. Estimated taxable income was \$4,540,086.00 which was down nearly \$3.5 million from 1973.

There were a total of 351 permits issued, 102 permits less than the previous year, with a total of 133 dwelling permits issued. This showed a decrease of 110 dwelling permits from last year.

Some of the other larger permits issued were for the new addition to the Fire Station for \$62,000.00, a Bank and Office Building for the Sea-Lake Corp. with an estimated value of \$125,000.00. The Fly Ash Plant at the Power Station was for \$90,000.00; the Sandwich Properties Mini-Mall for \$88,000.00; two retail and office buildings for \$115,000.00 and the new restaurant for Gia Corp. for \$40,000.00.

The fees collected and paid to the Town Treasurer amounted to \$3,706.00.

Permits issued were as follows:

- 133 dwellings
- 84 additions
- 18 alterations
- 21 garages
- 2 office buildings and bank
- 51 sign permits
- 17 occupancy permits
- 7 for swimming pools
- 28 miscellaneous

The new job of Sign Inspector plus the requirements for occupancy permits, has added considerably to the work load of this department. The cooperation of the inspectors and the Fire Chief in the processing of occupancy permits is greatly appreciated.



My sincere thanks to the Selectmen, to the members of the various boards, to all the girls in the offices, to Deputy Inspector Lester Geary, and especially to Mrs. Helen Palmer (secretary to all the various boards and to the inspectors) for their cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

SVEN E. HANSON,

Building Inspector

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## Report of the Inspector of Wires

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

This report is for the year of 1974 as requested.

An Occupancy Permit, signed by all the inspectors, upon completion of construction, is now required, thus eliminating the possibility of anyone buying an unfinished building.

The new form of wiring permit is working out very well, as it also provides extra copies for everyone involved.

In the year 1974 we issued 477 permits, of which 233 were for new construction and 244 were for alterations or repairs. We traveled 4,865 miles in order to complete this work.

Our thanks to the people at the Town Hall, especially those in the inspectors office, for their fine cooperation.

Respectfully yours,

EDGAR E. CARON,

Inspector of Wires

## Report of the Gas Inspector

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Mass.

This Gas Inspector's Report is not for the entire year, as it started on May 1, 1974.

During this eight month period, there were 175 permits issued; of these permits, 20% were new installations and 6% were permits for temporary gas at the Wing School, High School and Canal Electric Plant and the balance were for replacing gas appliances.

To complete these inspections, there were 1,532 miles traveled.

Apparently, many permits were issued and no inspections made for quite a period of time.

This report submitted with many thanks for those who have helped me in the past.

Respectfully submitted,

MELVIN R. KENT

## Report of the Town Engineer

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

I submit the report from the Engineering Department for the year 1974. As the year evolved it was apparent that there was a slow down in the rapid growth and development the Town had experienced in the past years. Because of this pause the Engineering Department has had an opportunity to become engaged in some of the projects which I had hoped to do since the inception of the Department.

We now have duplicate copies of the Assessor's Maps on mylar, which are stored in another location and also copies of these maps on 105mm film. Using these films we have made copies of these maps and are now engaged in the making of an accurate town map showing all the existing and proposed streets in Sandwich. Our office files have been expanded and we now have cross reference files for our plans of Subdivisions, State, County, and Town Highways and other projects which the Department has occasion to use. We also have been able to index and file our aerial photos of Sandwich so that they are now readily available when needed. Also the street numbering system which originated in 1967 is being completed so that all property owners will now be able to comply with the town by-law regarding numbering of buildings.

The Department was moved to a much needed, larger office space in the Town Barn and Peter Hinckley was added to our full time staff. Peter is a recent Civil Engineering graduate from Southeastern Massachusetts University.

The normal activities of reviewing roads which were proposed for acceptance as Town Highways continues as does the preparation of plans and descriptions of some of these roads. We also have been involved in surveys of some of the older roads that have not been surveyed so that we will have records available to make layouts of these should the necessity arise.

The Engineering Department was responsible for the inspection of the work and the preparation of the estimates for payment for the contracted drainage work on Town Neck.

We have also had the privilege of working with the Conservation Committee and furnishing them engineering assistance and advice in regard to their many projects. I think we will all really appreciate their efforts when they complete their proposed plans for the use of the Ryder Property on Wakeby-Mashpee Pond. We wish them success in their continuing effort to preserve our natural setting.

One again I would like to thank the citizens of Sandwich for their assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, R.L.S., P.E.  
Town Engineer

## Report of the Inspector of Animals

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich

I have investigated 19 dog bites, quarantined and subsequently released 18 dogs.

I have also inspected 47 animal shelters, 144 animals, and taken their census for the State Department of Agriculture. There is no indication of infectious or contagious diseases.

Census: 48 Horses  
22 Ponies  
2 Donkeys  
1 Mule  
11 Sheep  
4 Goats  
56 Cattle

144 Animals

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE,  
(Mrs. Charles G. Whitmore)

Inspector of Animals



## Report of the Highway Surveyor

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To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich  
and Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December, 1974.

This report covers only six months under our present budget as our year now ends officially on June 30, 1975. This leaves six months work still to be done until our new budget year starts July 1st, 1975. During this period the usual maintenance programs under Chapter 81 and Highways — General was carried on. This work consists of patching, mowing, drainage, guard rails and sealcoating; all necessary to keep and maintain the quality of our present streets and highways. I can report that approximately 100,000 sq. yds. of roads were sealed with oil and sandcover. The drainage problems on Falmouth Road (Rte. 130), Pine Street, and Tupper Road were handled. More work was done under Special Appropriations and consisted of resurfacing roads and sidewalks with Type I as follows:

<b>Roads</b>	<b>Sidewalks</b>
Falmouth Road (Rte. 130)	Old Main
Klah's Way	School
Popple Bottom	Beale Ave.
Mill	Jarves

In considering the July 1, 1975, to June 30, 1976 budget we present the problems of increased school bus routes and the opening of the new High School on Quaker Meeting House Road. This improved service will certainly require more equipment and money for operations.

The cooperation and interest of the citizens, selectmen, and other departments of this community, have been highly appreciated by this department during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. VAN BUSKIRK  
Surveyor of Highways

## Report of the Civil Defense Director

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Board of Selectmen  
Town Hall  
Sandwich, Mass.

The Annual Report of the Sandwich Civil Defense Agency is submitted herewith.

During the heating oil crisis in the winter of 1974 the Director was named Home Heating Assistance Officer for the town. This was in line with the suggestion of the State Director. The basic responsibility involved the handling of consumer complaints concerning inability to obtain home heating fuels.

Civil Defense radio equipment purchased by the town shortly after World War II should be supplemented and replaced by more modern and efficient solid state FM equipment. The town should remain in a healthy condition equipment wise in event of a natural disaster or other emergency in which communications at the local level are important to the welfare of its citizens. To update and modernize the present Civil Defense radio equipment an appropriation of \$1,694.00 will be sought at the 1975 town meeting.

A mock hurricane exercise "Beaufort '74" was held for the communities in southeastern Massachusetts on the evening of October 15. The goal of this exercise was to ascertain the emergency preparedness posture of the Civil Defense organizations, and to assess operational problems relative to coordinating relief efforts if this section was directly hit by a hurricane.

In evaluating this exercise from the local standpoint it was felt that communications with town departments in the field, other than fire and police, were non existent and could pose a very real problem in the event of an emergency.

In view of this situation it is recommended that the town consider installation of a community setup involving all town departments exclusive of fire and police. Not only would such a communications arrangement be valuable in

an emergency, but it could greatly improve the efficiency of each town department's operations.

I take this opportunity to thank Mr. Edward W. Osgood Jr., Civil Defense Sector Director, Mr. John Lovering, Director of Area II Massachusetts Civil Defense Agency and town officials, departments and organizations for their assistance and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

W. GORDON SWAN

Director of Civil Defense

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## Report of the Plumbing Inspector

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To the Honorable Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The year 1974 brought a considerable decline in the number of permits issued by this office. There were 230 plumbing permits issued as compared with 350 for 1973, a drop of approximately 30%. There were 339 inspections made at various stages of completion.

There were 206 permits issued for Sewage Disposal as compared to 324 for 1973, a decline of approximately 37%. Most of these required but one inspection each.

There were some changes in the plumbing code and a new code book was issued in the fall of 1974 including all the amendments.

As always at this time, I wish to express my thanks to all those who have been helpful to me in the year 1974 and sincerely hope that 1975 will bring better conditions for everyone.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. MONTAGUE, JR.

Plumbing Inspector



## Park Department

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The year 1974 saw an increase in Park Department activities with the acquisition of new Town properties, resulting in more grass to cut, hedges to trim and more buildings to maintain.

The Park Department has taken over the making of street signs. This year we are going to try a new reinforced type sign which, hopefully, will prevent some of the vandalism of the signs. These signs cost the Town approximately Eight Dollars each plus the time spent in replacing them.

We had a fine day for the Boat Parade and Fireworks on the Fourth. This coming year let's see if we can get a few more boats to participate in the parade. Materials for decorating the boats (lanterns and strapping) are available at the pond on the day of the Fourth and are provided to the entrants at no cost. The Park Department Boys are available to lend a helping hand.

I would like to thank the Selectmen for their advice and assistance during the year, and thanks also to the men who worked on the Park Department.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND L. THAYER  
Park Foreman



## Report of the Advisory Landscape Council

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The Advisory Landscape Council for the Preservation and Enhancement of the Beauty of Sandwich in March 1973 was voted a fund of \$7,500.00 for the planting of trees and shrubs along Route 6A, Old Main Street, and intersections along Route 130. To date we have planted 46 trees and 107 shrubs and have a balance in the fund of \$2,990.00.

In June 1974 we concluded our contract with Sudbury Nurseries. In November 1973 they replaced free of charge 2 trees and 12 shrubs, which had not survived the summer. Their last planting in June was the remainder of the trees along Route 6A allowed by the State: 3 tupelos, 4 red maples, 1 American linden, and 1 red oak; also 2 dogwoods in Bourne Park.

At a spring meeting of the Advisory Landscape Board it was decided to make a screen planting inside the fence at the Town Dump. Six Japanese pines were bought and spruces and a Russian olive were donated. We engaged Richard Currier to do this work. He also planted a juniper and two donated mountain laurels by the Sandwich sign at Routes 130 and 6A.

Also in the spring of 1974 we made an attempt to improve the appearance of the area at Cumberland Farms by planting along the west wall of the building. As this is private property, we used all donated material and paid for the labor from our own funds.

Seven apple trees and two donated lilacs were put in on Brady's Island, in keeping with the idea of retaining its appearance as an old farm. All of these later purchases were made for us by the Tree Warden, William Ellis.

We are grateful to the following for donated plant material for Brady's Island, the screen planting at the dump, and Cumberland Farm: Albert Torrey, Connie Carr, and Peter Meinl; to Heritage Plantation for replacement of a rhododendron at Pine Street; and to Barbara Gill for per-

sonally digging up and delivering 10 shrubs from the Reid Nursery cash and carry sale @ \$3.00 a plant.

(Donations of plants are most gratefully received, provided they are dug, balled, and delivered.)

This fall the Fire Department asked for help in planning the foundation planting at their new addition. Peter Meinel drew up a plan for them, which was carried out.

Our various committees have been observing town committees, commissions, and board meetings, and checking violations of the sign and building codes, reports of which go to the Building Inspector.

To our paid-up membership (296 individuals, 15 business and professions, 3 civic organizations) we express our thanks and gratitude. Without their continued support and encouragement we could not achieve our objective of maintaining the beauty of Sandwich.

With appreciation of the interest of the Selectmen, we are

Respectfully,

The Advisory Landscape Council  
 NATALIE NORRIS, President  
 WILFRED GRAVES, Vice-President  
 INA FERGUSON, Recording Secretary  
 CARYLL GATES, Corresponding Secretary  
 WALLACE TERHUNE, Treasurer

# Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission

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## CHAIRMAN'S ANNUAL REPORT

The past year has been one of serious difficulties and momentous decisions for our nation. These events have touched us all and their effects have been echoed in the Cape Cod community. The Cape's thriving building industry slowed to a grinding pace. Yet, our tourist industry, threatened by gas shortages, managed to exceed previous revenues. Land use legislation continued on its road toward greater management of our nation's resources. The first step in protecting one of the Cape's most vital resources was taken with voter approval for an inventory of our groundwater resource. Charges of unfair state policies spread talk of a "State of Cape Cod" and public utility rates have raised organized public protests. Rising unemployment on the Cape and throughout the state spurred pledges of accelerated economic development efforts from a new Governor.

### Referendum Question #7

While times are troubled, the Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission has seen a year of progress in a number of significant areas. Three years of Commission effort culminated this year in the passage of Water Inventory Referendum Question #7. The overwhelming three to-one vote for the Referendum Question indicates a new spirit of regional concern for the protection of the Cape's vital resources. The success of the question also confirmed the Commission's long-held view that the Cape's water supply is of deep concern to the people of Cape Cod. Passage of the Referendum Question authorized the Barnstable County Commissioners to borrow money for the "inventory, measuring and researching of the groundwater resources of Barnstable County".

The United States Geological Survey's proposed water inventory program estimates the County's share of the project at \$152,700 of the total \$512,000 study. The remaining cost of the work is to be contributed by the USGS, the National



Park Service and the Massachusetts Water Resources Commission. To assist the County Commissioners in the administration of the USGS proposal, the Commission proposed the establishment of a broadly based Task Force on Water Resources. The County Commissioners supported the concept of such a Task Force and the Commission launched a major public information program to clarify the issues involved in the Referendum Question.

Some 31 informational meetings were held between September 15 and Election Day, November 5. Many of the meetings, held throughout the Cape, were open public meetings and many were conducted at the request of public officials and local community groups. Cape newspapers and radio stations provided outstanding coverage of the issue as it developed and of the Commission's informational activities. Many newspapers and radio stations offered their editorial support for the Referendum Question as well.

The Association for the Preservation of Cape Cod provided volunteer support and the assistance of its staff. The Barnstable County Selectmen's Association offered its valuable vote of support early in the Commission's community effort. The Cape Cod Chamber of Commerce, the Cape Cod League of Women Voters and a number of other community groups added to this unified positive position. The Commission is most grateful for the assistance of the newspapers, radio and television stations, and the many community groups that helped in bringing the facts to the voters.

The success of the Referendum Question is just the beginning in this important program. The four year project will provide a comprehensive view of the Cape's groundwater resources. This comprehensive inventory will provide the basis for the coordinated management of this most critical resource — our only fresh water supply.

### **Wastewater Management Planning**

While the Water Inventory will give us a great deal of information about our groundwater resource, it is up to us to decide what actions are needed to protect this resource. As we utilize our groundwater resource by taking water from the ground we also put our wastewater back into the ground. Wastewater is one of the major threats to the purity of our groundwater resource. Thus, the Commission welcomed the opportunity to apply for designation as a Section "208" Wastewater Management Planning Area this year.



This application for designation formally endorsed by 13 of the 15 towns could provide substantial federal funds for a coordinated areawide wastewater management planning program. Such a program, to be developed with close coordination and cooperation of our local governments, and with the information developed in the USGS inventory, is the foundation for a uniquely sound water management program.

At the present time, the Cape has received designation as a Section "208" planning area and the CCPEDC has been designated as the "208" planning agency. We are awaiting approval of the Environmental Protection Agency before developing a full program application. The application will describe the program and budget for the 100% federally funded planning program. Current estimates are between \$300,000 — \$400,000 for the two year planning program and 75% federal funding can be provided for the implementation of the plan.

### **Community Involvement**

The Commission initiated a program to establish increased communication with the Cape Cod towns and their residents during the past year. A major part of this effort was a program of technical assistance. Members of the Commission staff provided professional guidance to a number of Cape Cod towns at their request. Preparation of subdivision regulations and revisions of zoning by-laws, advice on comprehensive master plans and transportation projects were some of the services that were very well received by the towns that took advantage of this program.

Two evening seminars were held to acquaint Cape Cod citizens and their elected officials with two important programs, the State Coastal Zone Management Program and the Federal Flood Insurance Program. Both meetings were well attended and offered interested citizens an opportunity to learn how these programs may affect the future of Cape Cod. A ten week seminar series entitled "Community Planning" was organized this fall by the Commission at the request of the Cape's local planning boards, and the Cape Cod Society of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors. Some 50 students participated in the seminar covering a wide range of local planning matters from the handling of subdivision plans and proposed changes in the state zoning enabling act to the impact of Federal and State land use programs on local planning. The purpose of the series was to give a broad

overview of local planning considerations as an initial background for new planning board members and as a review for experienced board members, engineers and land surveyors. It is hoped that the information presented will assist the participants in efficiently and effectively discharging their responsibilities in the planning process of their town.

A public opinion survey has been designed to provide the Commission and its staff with a better perspective on citizen concerns and interests. The survey will be conducted in 1975 and it is hoped that the information gained from the responses will serve as a basis for making Commission action more responsive and more effective in years to come.

### **Economic Development**

The Commission's Economic Development Committee reorganized this year and under new leadership, it has been actively exploring possible approaches towards improving the Cape's economic ills. Cooperative activities have been underway with the Overall Economic Development Planning Committees in the designated economic development areas of Provincetown-Truro and Bourne. The Provincetown-Truro OEDP Committee has been investigating several potential public works projects eligible for federal assistance funds including a new well field and water distribution system, renewal of storm drains, installation of a sewer system and reconstruction of an area parking lot. The Bourne OEDP Committee was also reorganized this year and plans to work co-operatively with the non-Cape towns of Rochester and Wareham that make up the Economic Development Area.

Economic Development Administration funds have assisted in a study of the potential use of Otis for a Cape-wide Visitors Center for Arts and Crafts. This study, when completed, will supplement the original OEDP Committee's tourism study. Potential expansion of the Cape shellfish industry was the continuing concern of the Commission's Shellfish Advisory Committee. The Committee has developed a proposal for regional utilization of dredging equipment for (1) acquisition of contaminated shellstock from polluted areas off-Cape for transplanting and depuration in Cape waters, and (2) reclamation of nonproductive shellfish beds in Cape Cod towns. The Committee will be seeking funding sources for this project in the coming year.

### **Transportation Planning**

The Cape Cod Joint Transportation Committee, responsible for coordinating citizen concerns in the transportation



planning process, pursued a number of important issues throughout the year. In 1973, the General Court authorized the creation of ten regional transit authorities in the state and Cape Cod was designated as one of the ten possible authority areas. The CCJTC has conducted a thorough study of the legislation and has recommended to the 15 Boards of Selectmen, the creation of a Cape Cod Regional Transit Authority Advisory Board. A Regional Transit Authority is authorized by the General Court to issue bonds for the implementation of transportation services on the Cape with one-half of the deficit of this service to be paid by the state. It is up to the Advisory Board, comprised of the Chairman of the Boards of Selectmen in each town or their designee, to determine the suitability and usefulness of such an authority to Cape Cod citizens.

The gas shortages in early 1974 renewed interest in the possibility of rail passenger service to the Cape. The CCJTC will continue to pursue the feasibility and practicality of reinstituting rail passenger service as a compatible mode to the Cape's transportation picture. The retention of our most important rail freight service has also been a subject of concern with the Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 threatening the Cape's present rail service. Efforts to protect this vital service will be ongoing as the rail system for the Northeast is reorganized.

The CCJTC also monitors and reviews highway improvement and construction projects such as Rte 25/28 and the double-barreling of Route 6. Community concerns and comments are voiced in the coordinated planning process between the CCJIC, CCPEDC, and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, and the Secretary of Transportation and Construction.

### **Solid Waste Planning**

In cooperation with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, the Commission sponsored a study of Regional Solid Waste Management for Barnstable County. The study conducted by CE Maguire, Inc. proposed three possible sites for regional disposal facilities. The three towns, named as possible site locations: Bourne (at Otis), Dennis, and Yarmouth have participated in meetings to discuss the proposal. Funds for further implementation of the plan are not available at this time but the Commission hopes to pursue the recommendations of the study as local interest and funding develops.

### **Fiscal and Governmental Analysis**

Working with town boards and elected officials has become a major emphasis of the Commission's activities. A close working relationship has developed with a number of Cape-wide groups and most notably the Barnstable County Selectmen's Association. Early in the year the BCSA requested that the Commission intensify its efforts in analyzing the formulas that determine state aid to the towns.

This in-depth analysis has produced a comprehensive review of current state aid formulas and recent trends in the distribution of state funds. The recommendations of this report may prove a valuable aid to the Selectmen and the Cape's Delegation to the General Court in assessing the Cape's interests in future state aid measures and additionally, the report provides a solid basis for our lawmakers to develop constructive criticism of formulas that do not recognize the Cape's unique economy.

Concurrently the Commission has published a "Legislative Review '74" outlining legislation of interest to the people of Cape Cod. This booklet can be a helpful guide to upcoming legislative efforts and the potential impacts on the Cape.

### **What Next?**

The Commission's work provides a balanced approach, capable of including all interests in the examination of the needs of Barnstable County. Funds for this balanced approach are provided by the County and are supplemented by special federal and state funding programs. During the past year approximately \$24,000 was granted to the Commission by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and another \$25,110 in Economic Development Administration (EDA) funds were utilized to reimburse the County for the Commission's economic development activities. The state made available \$20,000 for transportation planning and an additional \$9,000 for cooperative solid waste management planning. The Commission expects continued funding from HUD and EDA in the coming year. Additional transportation planning funds totalling \$32,000 and some \$9,000 to initiate the Coastal Zone Management Program on Cape Cod are also expected from the State.

The work supported by these funds has stimulated new ideas and approaches to both regional and local problems. While many of the Commission's recommendations have not found immediate acceptance from county and town leaders,



many have gained growing support as the basis for these recommendations become more visible to our elected officials and the general public. In recent months new interest in establishing a County data processing center, a County purchasing department and a Barnstable County Jobs Development Corporation has been voiced by locally elected officials. These proposals, suggested by the Commission in past years, may prove of great current value as the taxpayers of Cape Cod increase their pressure on elected officials to make the provision of governmental services more efficient and more economical.

The Commission recognizes the growing plight of many people on Cape Cod in the worsening national economic climate. The Commission, limited by its enabling legislation to the development of recommendations for improvement, cannot directly implement its recommendations. It can attempt to develop a unity among elected officials and the citizens of the Cape Cod community in seeking methods to contend with our serious economic situation. Such an effort will be the primary emphasis of the Commission's work in the coming year. The will and the power to help ourselves is within us. We must all gather these forces to meet the challenge of properly utilizing our natural and human resources while protecting our quality of life. The fruits of cooperative efforts are not always concrete and quantifiable. By coming together and providing a forum for regional concerns, a new strength and a new potential for the betterment of all Cape Cod citizens can be realized.

## Report of the Board of Health

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of Sandwich:

The Board continues to meet the first of every month. Business office hours remain as they have been, 9-10 a.m. Monday through Friday. Mr. Edward Montague will continue as the agent for the Board and also the Plumbing Inspector. The citizens of Sandwich can contact any member of the Board as well. All complaints to the Board must be in writing and signed by the complainant in order to be properly processed. Monthly meetings and business meetings are conducted at the Town Hall.

In 1973 the Board received an appropriation in order to do a survey of the Disposal Area. This was needed in order to comply with the State Sanitary Disposal Law of 1971. Our efforts in the past several years have improved but we are still a long way from complying with the law. We have had a larger appropriation for bulldozing and filling and have improved the operation. In 1974 the board was forced to prohibit the placing of brush in the disposal area. It was virtually impossible to place cover material over this portion of the area. The present disposal area is not large enough to handle brush. We do not have enough area to stock-pile large amounts of any type of material. The present governing State Code specifies brush must be chipped or covered. We cannot at this time do either.

Whitman and Howard Engineering firm is in the process of a survey of the disposal area. We will then determine just how we can operate this Disposal Area to the best advantage. We must comply with the law. We hope to have a final report in March of 1976. There will be several plans we can implement. The final decision will have to be made by the citizens of Sandwich. The Board will have an article in the Annual Town Warrant. At that time the people can make a judgment as to the preferred method of operation. The completion of this endeavor will be a giant step forward for the town of Sandwich.

The Board of Health in 1974 joined with the Public Health Nurse in the Flu Immunization Clinic. This program will continue to be an annual service. It has been successful.

Congratulations to Frances Silva for her success in this and other programs for the town.

For many years we have asked that the Town get moving on a municipal sewage system. We think this is the time to act. The U.S. Government has recently released funds for this purpose that were illegally frozen for a number of years. Act NOW and eliminate pollution of our streams, ponds and marsh areas. Let us preserve these precious and fragile areas in Sandwich for future generations.

The Board appreciates the efforts of the Barnstable County Board of Health on behalf of the town of Sandwich. The County conducts tests of all food establishments, motels, camping areas and ponds. The reports are then forwarded to this office with recommendations. This Board then investigates all complaints and violations must be corrected. All establishments must meet the standards of the Board of Health. The wells of all camps and motels of Sandwich are inspected by the County Board and these reports are forwarded to this Board. Necessary action is then taken by the Board.

#### **Elected Officials**

Robert H. Ellis, Chairman	Term expires 1974
Allen E. Peterson, Vice-Chairman	" " 1975
Robert McKillop, Clerk	" " 1976

#### **Appointed by the Board of Health**

John H. Lewis	Medical Consultant
Miss Esther Howes	Health Officer
Director—Barnstable County Board of Health	
Leo H. Decoteau	Sanitation
Barnstable County Board of Health	
Edward F. Montague	Inspector of Plumbing
	and Sanitary Installation
Mrs. Hilda Whitmore	Inspector of Animals
James J. George	Caretaker—Disposal Area
Victor Coppola	Asst. Caretaker—Disposal Area

#### **Licenses and Permits Issued 1974**

Methyl Alcohol License	1
Recreation Camps—Overnight Camps—Hostels—	
Trailer Camps—Tent Camps—Summer Trail Camps	34
Garbage—Offal and Pumping Cesspool Permits	14
Funeral Directors License	2



Sanitation Installer Permits	25
Swimming Pool License	5
Sanitation Permits to Install Septic Systems	206
Food Service Establishment Permits	39
Burial Certificates	14
Plumbing Permits	230
Complaints Investigated	57
International Travel Certificates	16
Subdivisions Investigated	5

The Board appreciates the assistance and cooperation of all Town officials — the Selectmen and other Department heads. Special thanks to the Barnstable County Board of Health.

### Mosquito Control

The Cape Cod Mosquito Control Project, under the control of Mr. Oscar Doane Jr., continues to have our thanks for clearing the marsh area and swamp area.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. ELLIS, Chairman  
 ALLEN E. PETERSON, Vice Chairman  
 ROBERT McKILLOP, Clerk



## Report of the Public Health Nurse

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of Sandwich:

Submitted below is my tenth Annual Report as Public Health Nurse for the Town of Sandwich.

It has come to my attention that many citizens of the town are unaware of what the town's Public Health Nurse/Visiting Nurse does or that one even exists.

I will, therefore, try to enlighten you by including the Job Descriptions of the Public Health Nurse Administrator and Public Health Staff Nurse in this report.

### **PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE ADMINISTRATOR**

Under the direction of the Board of Selectmen and with the support and advice of the Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency Advisory Board the Public Health Nurse Administrator is responsible for:

1. Organizing all aspects of Agency services.
2. Working under the supervision of the Medical Consultant of the Board of Health and the Director of Nurses of the Barnstable County Health Department.
3. Selecting other employees such as staff nurses, clerical staff, and office maintenance personnel subject to appointment by the Board of Selectmen.
4. Contracting services such as therapeutic services and homemaker-home health aide services with the approval of the Board of Selectmen.
5. Obtaining and maintaining appropriate facilities for the Agency's office and for clinic services.
6. Seeing that supplies and equipment are available for the Agency's use.
7. The appropriate performance of Agency Staff: a. Appearance, b. Health, c. Public Performance.
8. Planning daily work programs for all staff.
9. Seeing that patient records are maintained in order to meet the health needs of each family.
10. Seeing that records are maintained pertaining to charge and cost of service.

11. Developing and implementing policies: a. Orientation of Staff, b. In-Service Education, c. Evaluation of Staff Progress.
12. Developing working relationships with other community organizations.
13. Performing any and all of the duties of a Public Health Staff Nurse — refer to Job Description of a Public Health Staff Nurse.
14. Making quarterly reports to the Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency Advisory Board.

### PUBLIC HEALTH STAFF NURSE

#### The Public Health Staff Nurse:

1. Provides skilled nursing care to the patient in the home and other suitable locations.
2. Evaluates and assesses the physical, emotional, social, and economic factors, and develops a nursing care plan involving the patient and patient's family.
3. Teaches and guides the patient and family in health matters.
4. Is cognizant of and utilizes available community resources.
5. Is a liaison between the family and other medical and professional persons.
6. Is a resource to the community in health matters.
7. Is a health teacher through community activities.
8. Works co-operatively with the School Nurse, and in the school program; this includes hearing and vision screening, annual physicals, immunization programs, and the maintenance of the health records. (This is the responsibility of the Public Health Nurse in the absence of an employed School Nurse.)
9. Conducts community programs such as: a. Well Child Conferences, b. Well Woman Conferences, c. Pre-School (Kindergarten) physical, d. Monthly health teaching counseling sessions at the Senior Citizens Drop-In Center, e. Immunization program (not part of the School Health Program).
10. Is responsible for keeping health records on all patients receiving service.
11. Is responsible for requesting all necessary equipment and materials.
12. Is responsible for making annual reports to the Town Board of Selectmen. (This includes Medicare reports, Quarterly Reports of the Advisory Board.)

13. Public Health Nursing Supervision will be provided by the Barnstable County Health Department.
14. Is responsible for maintaining records pertaining to charges and cost of services.
15. Is responsible for the general cleanliness and appearance of the office. (Custodial care to be provided.)
16. Shall wear the appropriate apparel of a Public Health Nurse.
17. The Substitute and/or Part Time Nurse: a. Works as a staff member in the same capacity as the Public Health Nurse but is responsible to the Public Health Nurse. b. Serves as the Public Health Nurse when the Public Health Nurse is on vacation, at conferences, or is ill.

### ADVISORY BOARD

The Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency Advisory Board held four meetings during 1974. At each of the meetings, the Public Health Nurse reported on pertinent Agency matters. During the year, Board members have approved the proposed budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1974; new policies stating the functions of the Well Child, Well Woman, and Pre-School Conferences; Job Descriptions for the Public Health Nurse Administrator and Secretary.

Two major issues were recommended by the Public Health Nurse, supported by the Advisory Board, and approved by the Board of Selectmen this year. 1. It was decided not to renew the Easter Seal contract for therapeutic services. Since August 1, 1974 Physical, Speech, and Occupational Therapy services have been contracted from the Falmouth Nursing Association on a cost per visit basis. 2. As more office space was needed, three possibilities were suggested and it was decided that the Public Health Nurse's office would be moved to the Dunbar House.

The following Board members were appointed or re-appointed by the Board of Selectmen for a two year term beginning September 1974:

Eleanor O. Bangs	Interested Citizen
Irene R. Beers	Interested Citizen
Betty E. Bridges	Representative, Sandwich School Committee
Mary L. Casey, R.N., M.P.H.	Nursing Director, Barnstable County Health Dept.



Dawn E. Closson, R.N.	Part Time/Substitute Nurse, Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency
Tekla L. Cote	Registered Occupational Therapist
Janet E. Davis, R.N.	Sandwich School Nurse
Dr. J. Harold DeMers	Dentist
William E. Duncan	Representative, Council on Aging
Florence A. Hall	Treasurer, Sandwich Health Association
Carl H. Hiler	Chairman, Board of Selectmen
Hazel Keith, R.N., M.S.	Nursing Director, retired, Barnstable County Health Dept.
Ruth B. Kelley	Dietician
Dr. John H. Lewis	Physician, Sandwich School Physician, Medical Consultant, Board of Health
Merilyn Myers	Secretary, Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency
Dr. Robert J. O'Doherty	Physician
Allen E. Peterson	Representative, Board of Health
Carlo A. Pola	Selectman, Town of Sandwich
Margaret S. Pola	President, Sandwich Health Assoc.
Frances M. Silva, R.N.	Public Health Nurse, Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency
Florence M. Whiteley	Registered Physical Therapist, B.S., Barnstable County Health Dept.

Carlo A. Pola was re-elected Chairman and William E. Duncan Vice Chairman of the Advisory Board at the September meeting. Merilyn Myers continues as secretary.

## STATISTICAL REPORT

### NURSING ACTIVITIES

#### Public Health Nurse—Sessions/Hours

In Service Education & Classes	28/119
Seminars & Workshops	4/22
Conferences & Consultations	14/11
Meetings	22/46
Friendship Center	11/30
Recertification Reviews	2/8
Record Reviews	3/6
Amblyopia Clinic & Rescreenings	3/7
Bloodmobiles	3/11
Assisted Patients (not regular N.V.)	55/56
Blood Pressure Check (for B.P. week)	1/2
Miles traveled	5,861

#### Part Time/Substitute Nurse—Sessions/Hours

In-Service Education	10/36
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Conferences & Consultations	2/3
Meeting	1/2
Friendship Center	2/4
Recertification Review	1/4
Record Reviews	3/6
Assisted Patients (not regular N.V.)	5/3
Visitation with Public Health Nurse	11/8
Miles traveled	1,179

## CONFERENCES

9 Well Child Conferences	91 attended	200 visits
1 Pre-School Conference (3 sessions)	49 attended	97 visits
15 Well Woman Conferences	134 attended	136 visits
1 Flu Clinic (4 sessions)	98 attended	visits

## IMMUNIZATIONS

DPT 1, 2, 3	27	Measles/Rubella	14
DPT Boosters	27	Measles	4
DT Boosters	5	Rubella	9
Oral Polio 1, 2, 3	28	Smallpox	5
Oral Polio Boosters	34	Tine Tests	59
Mumps	29		

## NURSING VISITS

	Office	Field	Total
Cases Admitted	11	206	217
Revisits	117	1,215	1,332
Not Home		46	46
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Total Visits	128	1,467	1,595

## VISITS BY PROGRAMS

Maternity	86	Health Promotion	375
Disease Control	1,088	Not Home	46

## VISITS BY FEE STATUS

Medicare	277	Blue Cross	34
Welfare	320	No Charge:	
Family	221	Home	221
Veterans Service	57	Not Home	46

## HOME HEALTH AIDE SERVICE

No. of patients having Home Health Aides	12
Hours Home Health Aides worked	5,169.5

## THERAPY VISITS

## Physical Therapy:

Cases admitted	9	Revisits	43	Total Visits	52
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## Occupational Therapy:

Cases admitted	3	Revisits	3	Total Visits	6
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In closing this report, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Board of Selectmen, Agency personnel, Advisory Board, Town Departments, and volunteer organizations for their cooperation and assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. SILVA, R.N.  
Public Health Nurse

## Report of the Barnstable County Health Department

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The Barnstable County Health Department has continued to provide services in the areas of environmental health, dental health, medical social work, nursing consultation and supervision, and control of communicable diseases. The staff of eight professional consultants, three laboratory and clerical workers, and one summer inspector is augmented by five staff working with the Handicapped Children's Clinic of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Division of Family Health, and by one worker from the Division of Communicable Diseases—Venereal Diseases.

We believe that local services should be strengthened and supplemented, hence priority is given to the development of better health delivery patterns, to the orientation of new town, school, and agency workers in the field of human services, and to some evaluation of proposed health services. Department staff are working cooperatively with Comprehensive Health Planning, and with many state agencies and local health organizations.

We also feel that the provision of in-service education, and undergraduate and graduate educational experiences, contribute to better health services. In order to broaden the understanding of public health practice and of the scope, power and responsibility of a health department, we have had students as follows; a senior student of Public Health from the University of Massachusetts, as a summer sanitary inspector; three senior students in Physical Therapy from Boston University who worked with the Handicapped Children's Services; a graduate student from Boston University in nursing administration; two students from the University of Massachusetts Medical School; and from the Upper Cape Cod Vocational-Technical School, the practical nursing students have all had an observation experience; a second year student in Hotel Management from Cape Cod Community College. In-service programs and conferences are held monthly for the nurses working in Home Health Agencies, and periodically for school nurses and for health agents. The Cape Cod Community College has been willing to offer a one semester course in Public Health Law which



attracted a small group of health workers. Our dental hygienist has been working with the college in the development of the clinical experiences for the new program for Dental Hygienists, and was on an advisory committee of the Lower Cape Cod Vocational School.

The inspection, consultation and recommendation of day care centers for licensure by the individual towns continues to require much skill. Increasingly stringent and necessary regulations affect established centers as well as newer ones. There are now 49 licensed centers, five of these were new this year.

Once a year each of the nine Home Health Agencies is surveyed for re-certification, in order to provide nursing, physical therapy, and other therapeutic services under Medicare. The nurse directors of this department assist in the preparation for these evaluations, and provide supervision by agreement to seven of these agencies.

The schools are now responsible for providing evaluation and education for children from 3-21 years for those with special needs. Because of our contacts with many children, families and households, we are spending a great deal of time working with parent groups, school groups, and physicians, clinical nurseries and day care centers, in coordinating and approving certain plans.

Continued pressure from the 15 towns will require us to provide more laboratory services for the analysis of water samples and monitoring of shore and pond areas. We must enlarge the laboratory work area and obtain more time-saving equipment. The sanitarians have provided more analysis of paint chips for lead content, and they have participated in more conferences.

The medical social worker has served as supervisor and consultant to two departments of social service and one Home Health Agency. She has been instrumental in planning for regular meetings of the medical social work staff of eight hospitals in the area, and has established contacts with many agencies providing funds and services for those with developmental disabilities.

We appreciate suggestions and requests for different or additional services and plan to adapt to meet needs when possible.



1974 Departmental personnel included:

Esther G. Howes, R.N., M.N., M.S. County Health Officer and  
Certified Health Officer

Ruth J. Alvezi, Principal Clerk

Willie Jane Angus, Assistant Medical Social Worker

Mary L. Casey, R.N., M.P.H., Public Health Nurse Director I

\*Stephanie Coyman, Substitute Principal Clerk

Alice A. Dalzell, R.D.H., Public Health Dental Hygienist

Leo H. Decoteau, R.S., B.A., Public Health Sanitarian and  
Certified Health Officer

Mary E. Dwyer, Senior Clerk

Bonnie C. Farmer, R.N., B.S., Public Health Nurse Director II

Christing Fein, R.N., Epidemiologist Mass. Dept. Public  
Health

Stetson R. Hall, R.S., B.S., Public Health Sanitarian

Sandra Herzberg, Junior Clerk-Stenographer

Carol M. Hunter, Head Clerk

Sandra A. Jones, Laboratory Technician

\*Hazel Keith, R.N., M.S., Public Health Nurse Director I

Elizabeth Maginnis, M.S.W., A.C.S.W., Medical Social  
Worker

Joan Satkiewicz, Senior Clerk-Stenographer

Richard M. Sturtevant, R.S., M.S., Public Health Sanitarian

Florence Whiteley, R.P.T., B.S., Public Health Physical  
Therapist

Judy Zall, B.S., Sanitary Inspector, part time.

\* Resigned

\* Retired

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER G. HOWES,

County Health Officer

## Report of the Council on Aging

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The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

As of February 28, 1975 the new Council on Aging will have completed eight months in office. We on the Council sincerely feel that we have contributed something to the well being of those whom we are supposed to reach and serve, namely, the senior citizens of Sandwich. But what comes through to us, loud and clear at times, how few of the 1,380 senior citizens in our community know or perhaps even care about the Council and its reason for being, when after all it was created by a vote of the townspeople themselves.

Each week in the local Village Broadside an ad is inserted drawing attention to forthcoming programs and events, hopefully of interest to all the seniors in town. Also we have been fortunate enough to get additional publicity in the column, Council Corner. These together with news releases and pictures in the Cape Cod Standard Times and radio announcements from local stations tend to make us believe that publicity via the media has been adequate.

The Council has had several meetings with the Clergy of the town together with the Public Health Nurse and the Superintendent of our school system, Dr. D'Antuono, searching out ways in which to reach those who we feel are in need.

Foliage trips, shopping trips, Christmas Festival trips to Edaville and the Christmas Party all took place in 1974 and all were very well attended. The Spring Flower Show trip together with other planned programs of interest for the spring and early summer appear to be equally acceptable.

The Council on Aging Drop-in-Centre on Dewey Avenue has been open each Wednesday and Friday afternoon from 12 to 5 p.m. with an ever increasing number in attendance. Open House Party and Fair, covered dish luncheons have all been held. All are Welcome. Seeing is Believing. Classes in oil and water color painting have been going on for some

time and more recently a course in chair caning was presented and both classes are well attended. Almost every week, weather permitting, finds a group of residents of the Fraser Rest Home enjoying the offerings of the Centre and an ever increasing number of persons can be found at the card tables. New programs are constantly under consideration and suggestions with additional ideas and thoughts for programs of interest are always welcome and appreciated. The Council would like to see greater use made of the Drop-in-Centre and the programs offered expanded, especially during these days of depression and the economic crunch so that more persons may make good use of the facility and enjoy the sociability and companionship that is always present at the Centre.

The Council wishes that each resident acquaint themselves with the aims and objectives of the Council on Aging and to realize the following: The Council on Aging is not a club. There is nothing to join, there are no dues. No one tells you what to do or when not to do it. The only requirement is that you be 59 or more years old. The Council is not a charity affair; yes, it wants to help wherever help is needed and desires to cooperate with every group, organization, club, guild or association regardless of age group or affiliation to the end that the community as a whole will benefit from the united effort.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. MEGLEY, Vice Chairman  
 ISABEL PIFER, Secretary  
 W. DUNCAN, Treasurer  
 C. ROBINSON, Programs  
 F. JEGER, Programs  
 E. BEALE, Social Services  
 E. OETINGER, Chairman



## Report of the Recreation Committee

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The annual summer recreation program began with a Fourth of July parade and field day. The ("Horribles") parade was well attended with participants being awarded ribbons and refreshments. The festivities then continued on the school grounds where more than 300 youngsters and parents participated in many field activities. Each participant received free soda and a hot dog.

The summer program, which included playground activities as well as swimming instruction and canoeing, began July 5 and once again ran for six weeks. The program was under the direction of Mr. Silvio Tedeschi. His staff included: Cynthia Ambroseno, Jan Semonian, Susan Smith, Margaret Velsor, Phoebe Carral, Paul Champagne, Claire Foley, Kevin Merritt, Carolyn Ann Klinck, David Dinklage, and Pam Medon.

The nature and crafts program was again a big success. A great number of girls and boys were involved in numerous art projects as well as picnics, bicycle riding, outings to Sandy Neck, and field trips to Lincoln Park, Bassett's Wild Animal Farm, and Go-Karts.

The swimming program at Lombard Park was again well attended. About 330 youngsters were involved during its six week period. Once again at the conclusion of the program, all participants were invited to a swim carnival, where prizes were awarded, and free refreshments served.

The Drama Club, under the direction of Mrs. Ann Palmer, presented the play Pajama Game. The play played to a capacity crowd. Thanks to Mrs. Palmer and her cast for the excellent job done.

The tennis program was again a big success. A spring session was held as well as a summer session. Interest seems to be growing more and more each year in tennis. The instructors this year were Claire Foley, Kevin Merritt, and Robert Woodbury. The first Sandwich Tennis Tournament was held for both high school students and adults. The tournament was under the direction of Mr. Silvio Tedeschi. Competition was held in singles, doubles, and mixed doubles



divisions. Trophies were awarded to the winners and runners-up in each division.

Bowling was a part of the program this year and proved to be very successful once again. This program ran for six weeks. The first week the children were given free bowling lessons. Over sixty boys and girls participated in this program in which trophies and prizes were awarded to the high individual bowlers.

The recreation committee also sponsored men's and women's softball teams.

Teen dances and rock concerts were held throughout the summer at Town Beach. These dances were very successful and well attended. They were again held in the fall at the Henry T. Wing School where nearly 250 youngsters attended each dance.

The fall Saturday morning field hockey program for girls was again under the direction of Miss Judy Rooney. This program ran for seven weeks and met for three hours each morning.

The boys soccer program was directed by Mr. Silvio Tedeschi. The boys were given instruction the first week and then divided into teams for competition for the remaining weeks. All members of the winning team received trophies. Also an all-star team participated in the Falmouth Jamboree Soccer Tournament.

A basketball and volleyball program for high school students was also added to the recreational activities. All boys and girls were invited to play basketball and volleyball every Thursday night from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Henry T. Wing School for a period of ten weeks. This program was supervised by Mr. Silvio Tedeschi.

A gymnastics program was also initiated. Classes ran for six weeks and were instructed by Mrs. Madylin Scheiring. About sixty 4 - 6 grade boys and girls participated.

A figure skating clinic was also sponsored by the Recreation Committee again this year.

The instructor, Mrs. Clevette Lyonberger, of Plympton, Mass., held the lessons at the Gallo Rink in Bourne. Over 100 boys and girls participated in the Fall and Spring pro-

grams. A morning session was made available for the Junior High group, due to the split school day.

All attending worked for and received badges for the skills they had learned. The basic tests for each badge is set by the United States Figure Skating Association.

The Recreation Committee would like to take this opportunity to thank all persons who volunteered their time to be involved with the recreation program.

Respectfully submitted,

SILVIO TEDESCHI, Director

## Report of the Babe Ruth League Team

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The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The 1974 Sandwich Babe Ruth baseball team completed its sixth year of successful operation.

During the season, Sandwich participated in the Bourne Invitational Tournament and won two games before bowing to a strong Barnstable team in the final and championship game.

Sandwich then went on to win its fifth straight Cape Cod Pony League championship, compiling a season record of 19 wins and 2 losses. The team, known on and off the Cape as the Sandwich "Reds", upped their five-year record to 99 wins and 13 losses.

This year a second team called the "Rockets" was organized from within the 21-man squad to provide more playing time for all players. Dan Foley and his wife Claire volunteered to assist me and to coach this team. They did a super job. The "Rockets" played their own ten-game schedule, which gave valuable experience to the younger members of the squad.

At the annual awards night, suitable team awards were presented to each player to recognize their outstanding performance.

The highest batting average trophy was won again by John Hendy with an average of .614. Mike Flaherty won the home run trophy. There was a tie for the best pitching performance, therefore, trophies were awarded to Karl Uggerholt and Andy Brule, who both recorded five wins and no losses.

I wish once again to publicly thank for the players the School Committee, the Recreation Committee, Finance Committee, and the Selectmen for their continued assistance and support of the team.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. HENDY, JR., Coach

## Report of the Teener League Team

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The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The 1974 Sandwich "Blues" completed a successful second season by winning the newly-formed Cape Cod Senior Babe Ruth League championship. Competing also in the Cape Cod Teener League, the "Blues" won the Upper Cape Cod title but failed to win the All-Cape Title, losing to Yarmouth, the Lower Cape winner.

Nine players from Sandwich were selected to compete on the Senior Babe Ruth League All-Star team. After a spirited series, the Cape Team lost to the South Shore All-Stars for the State championship. Next year the State Senior Babe Ruth tournament will again be held in Dennis, Massachusetts.

On November 7, 1974, the League held a superb banquet for all members of the League at the Wychmere Harbor Club in Harwichport. Sandwich players were presented first-place trophies by Richie Hepner of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Individual league honors won by Sandwich players included batting trophy by John Beaton, pitching trophy by Peter Kahelin, and most valuable player award by John Beaton. All were presented by Joe Morgan, manager of the Pawtucket Red Sox.

I should like to thank the School Committee, Recreation Committee, Finance Committee, and the Selectmen for their support of the Teener Team.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. HENDY, JR., Coach



## Sandwich Youth Hockey

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The 1974-1975 youth hockey season was satisfying in varied aspects. A gain of 10% in enrollment was attained, growth in adult participation was realized, success in game play was outstanding, and most important, great effort was made to fortify the basic precept of all sports — that the progress of the game is more important than the final score. In winning, in losing, Sandwich skaters stood tall.

Praise could be heaped upon the adult participants who consistently appeared — to sit through hours of practice and cheer through minutes of game. But if praise, as it should be is meted out with careful attention to those only most deserving, it is the sole property of our Sandwich youths who strove to underdog their way to the peaks of their league. Their spirit is an honor to our town.

The Youth Hockey Program is aware of its debt to the taxpayers of Sandwich and has committed itself — within its scope — to producing youths physically disciplined to sports requirements, youths respectful of their tutors, youths instilled with the awareness of humility in victory and dignity in defeat.

We pray we may meet those goals.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD JAMES BUCKLAND

Secretary

Sandwich Youth Hockey

## Department of Veterans' Services

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### District Board:

Carl Hiler, Sandwich Chairman  
Martin Hoxie, Barnstable  
Charles Eager, Yarmouth  
Joseph Merchant, Dennis  
Frank Hicks, Mashpee

I hereby submit my 1974 annual report of the District Department of Veterans' Services.

The Veterans' Service Department serves as a ONE STOP CENTER for Veterans, and, in addition to our duties to aid, assist and advise, as stated in Chapter 115 and 483 of the Massachusetts General Laws, we counsel, file claims, explore every avenue of resource and revenue available, make them aware of their own assets and treat them as human beings, with dignity and courtesy.

A total of 5,791 people visited our office for service and assistance. During the year, we handled 6,839 incoming telephone calls with all kinds of questions and advice. Included is a report from the Investigator, Sidney L. Chase.

The Department wishes to thank the Boards of Selectmen and their various Town Departments for their splendid cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. CROSS  
Director and Agent

## Report of the Investigator

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As Investigator of this Department, I investigate each application.

After determining that the Veterans are eligible, I break them into two categories, Permanent and Temporary.

Permanent cases are investigated every six months and Temporary cases are investigated each and every month.

For the Calendar year 1974, there were a total of 316 investigative reports. I also try to keep abreast of all eligible Benefits for Veterans and to inform as many as I can and assist them in obtaining these Benefits. On an Emergency basis, I transfer needy Veterans to the various V.A. Hospitals in our area.

Respectfully submitted,

SIDNEY L. CHASE  
Investigator

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## Report of the Sandwich Historic District Committee Old King's Highway Regional Historic District

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The act establishing the Old King's Highway Regional Historic District was accepted by the vote of the nine affected towns, Bourne, Sandwich, Barnstable, Yarmouth, Dennis, Harwich, Brewster, Orleans and Eastham at the general election of November 5, 1974. The Sandwich Board of Select-

men thereupon appointed to the Sandwich Historic District Committee, which is charged with administering the act in Sandwich, the following persons for the indicated terms: Seth S. Pope—one year; Grattan Gill, architect—one year; Robert W. Bridges—two years; George Sutton—three years; Donald Bourne—four years. At the committee's organization meeting Mr. Bourne was elected as chairman and Mr. Bridges as secretary. As such chairman Mr. Bourne is a member of the regional historic district commission composed of the chairmen of the nine town committees.

The establishment of the regional district automatically dissolved the old Sandwich Historic District and the Study Committee which had made an extensive study and report recommending the enlargement of the Sandwich district. The report and supporting material is on file with the Massachusetts Historical Commission and the Town of Sandwich.

The new Sandwich committee held its first hearing for approval under the act on December 23, 1974. Meetings of the committee are regularly held on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 7:30 P.M. Applications for historic district approval are being received in increasing numbers and are being disposed of expeditiously.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD BOURNE, Chairman  
SETH S. POPE  
ROBERT BRIDGES  
GEORGE SUTTON  
GRATTAN GILL



## Report of the Sandwich Historical Commission

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During 1974 the Commission met regularly and continued its mandatory work on the inventory of our old houses and other historic assets in Sandwich. Our collection of slides & copies of pictures of historic interest was extended. These pictures together with extensive files on the descent of early Sandwich families are kept at Town Hall and may be consulted by interested citizens through contact with Dr. Wright or Mr. Lovell. Record books and pictures describing 66 East Sandwich houses and 185 houses in the proposed enlarged historic district area are kept for public reference by Miss Walker at the Library.

The Commission was of significant help to the Town during the year in the following ways:

Research and support for the T. W. Burgess Centennial.

Help in the use and history of the Eldred House, and in planning for repairs and improvements in 1975.

Assistance to Mr. Bourne in preparing a report on the enlarged Historic District along Route 6A.

Participation in the work of the Old King's Highway Study Commission.

Assistance to the Bicentennial Committee in research and ideas for its activities.

Aid in the restoration work at Old Town Cemetery.

Answering questions from around the country on Sandwich genealogy and history referred to us by the Town Clerk, the Historical Society and others.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. D. F. WRIGHT,

Acting Chairman

R. A. LOVELL, JR., Secretary

DR. C. R. SMITH

DR. A. C. COOK

MRS. BARBARA GILL

MISS SUSAN ANDREWS

MR. ROSS VANDER PYL

## Director's Report of the Old Hoxie House

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On June first, the Old Hoxie House was opened for a special one day event. The Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee sponsored an "Author's Party" and open house to the public. Several hundred attended the colorful affair.

The summer season began June fifteenth. Guests came early and stayed late, enjoying the continual tours throughout the day. They are always impressed by the well kept condition of the furniture, furnishings and the house itself — especially the lived-in atmosphere.

This season, with the aid of the gentlemen of the Park Department, I planted a herb garden. The plants did very well. Many of their cuttings have been dried for next summer.

On July fourth, another closed TV Program was made. Mrs. B. McClanahan of the Herrick School District of Williston Park, New York had visited here many times and wished to take some of Sandwich back to her students. I lectured the tour and later enjoyed an instant replay!

In September, Mrs. Hilliard and I baked in the beehive brick oven some corn meal cakes prepared by Miss Jean Richards and her cooking class of the H. T. Wing School. They were all present and enjoyed the bake.

My assistants, Mrs. Walter Hilliard and Mrs. Alfred Hoey, join me in thanking you for any aid you gave us this past season.

Do remember taxpayers and local residents, the Old Hoxie House is your house to visit!

See you next summer?

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE  
(Mrs. Charles G. Whitmore)

## Report of the Dexter Grist Mill

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich

The 1974 season was a banner year for the Old Dexter Grist Mill. The Mill was opened on June 15th with very good attendance and attendance remained good for the rest of the season. There were more special groups this year than last year. Children's groups came mostly from local towns and many senior citizen groups came by bus from off the Cape. There were many visitors from foreign countries this year and they told about the different types of mills in their countries and the way they are run. On June 29th, we were honored by a local bridal party taking pictures, using the old mill for a background.

The new water wheel was installed the first week of June and should last for many years. It runs more smooth than the old wheel and grinds the corn meal much better.

This year, we ground about the same amount of corn as we did last year; thirteen and one half tons and sold 12,037 bags to the public and the local stores.

To the townspeople: You are always welcome to come and visit the old mill.

The mill closed for the season Sunday, Sept. 29th.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. GOSSE, Miller



## Report of the Bicentennial Committee

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of Sandwich:

Submitted herewith is the report of the activities of the Bicentennial Committee.

The first year of the Bicentennial year has had a very fine beginning with the initial event being the march on the old Court House in Barnstable on September 28th, 1974. About 60 people in costume, with 40 from the Town of Bourne, met and marched on to the Court House to join with marchers from all towns from the Cape. People of all ages took part. Members from Sandwich and Bourne had major parts in the confrontation reenactment that took place at the Court House grounds.

A ceremony was held at the Eaton Memorial, Town Hall Square, for the presentation of the Bicentennial flag to the Town of Sandwich, naming the Town as a Bicentennial Town by the Massachusetts Bicentennial Committee on November 1, 1974. Miss Harrington of the Boston office made the presentation to Chairman Carl Hiler, Board of Selectmen. About 15 people in costume were present.

On November 3, 1974, two historic reenactments were held in Sandwich. The first, the cutting down of the Liberty Pole in front of the Daniel Webster Inn by the Loyalists to the King and the subsequent capture and justice carried out by gathered Patriots and reerecting the Liberty Pole.

The second and more serious scene was the attack on Nathaniel Freeman by Loyalists for his part in leading the march on the Court House. Mr. Freeman, played by a direct descendent, H. Eugene Freeman, was attacked and severely beaten by Loyalists who came from the Newcomb Tavern, the Tory headquarters. Patriots arrived to rescue Mr. Freeman and although badly beaten he survived to live a good many years.

On February 22, 1975, a costume ball, sponsored by the Bourne Commission, was held in East Wareham. The ball



was attended by surrounding towns and featured presentation of Bicentennial colored flag to Town of Bourne. An 18th century dance demonstration in costume and minute-man drill demonstration by Wareham militia men, dancing was enjoyed by all present.

Planned are the following events and activities reenactments of daily life 200 years ago:

Bicentennial Parade July 5, 1975.

Display and sale at Eldred House of historical pamphlets, Bicentennial historic paintings, photographs and historic data and the register of names for 100-year capsule.

Possibly a clambake or cookout in August.

A Costume Ball in 1976.

Commemorative Boulder and Plaque.

Opening of 100-year capsule.

Sealing of new 100-year capsule.

The Bicentennial Committee wishes to thank the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich for their cooperation and to those who took part in the events so far.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. LEINO, Chairman

## Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee

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Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sandwich  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The Thornton W. Burgess Centennial Committee wishes to express their appreciation for the outstanding effort and enthusiastic cooperation shown by the many many individuals and organizations of Sandwich — resulting in the fine sense of community spirit during the numerous Burgess Centennial events of 1974.

The Centennial Anniversary Celebration of the birth in Sandwich 100 years ago, of the internationally known children's author and naturalist, Thornton Waldo Burgess, started January 14, 1974 (the actual birthday of Mr. Burgess) and extended through the entire year. A list of some of the activities follows:

A Proclamation was read at Town Hall Square; a Birthday Party for the entire 635 Elementary School children; **The Cape Cod Story of Thornton W. Burgess**, was written by Russell A. Lovell Jr. and published by the Town; an Author's Autograph Party was held at the Hoxie House; a Coloring Contest; a Cape-wide Burgess Arts and Crafts Contest sponsored; the Burgess Museum was opened at the Deacon Eldred House; Nature Trails at the Briar Patch were cut and opened; a delightful plaque was placed at the Gully Lane entrance to the Briar Patch; and plans were made for the creation of a tile wall for the new Elementary School Library by students. Three days of activities in August were highlighted by a Pet Show, Story Hours, Puppet Show, Walking tour of Historic Sandwich, Parade, A Formal Tribute to T. W. Burgess, and 2 thrilling performances of the original musical by Winnie Fitch and John Houston, **The Briar Patch** at Burgess Park.

The following is a poem written by T. W. Burgess in December 1936, reflecting on his youth:

If I should walk in Gully Lane  
Think you that I would find

The boyhood lost so long ago —  
 The youth I left behind?  
 Are still the days so carefree there?  
 So filled with simple joy?  
 So heedless of the march of time  
 As when I was a boy?  
 Would clutching hands of bramble bush,  
 Still reach to hold me fast,  
 Or would they treat me as a ghost —  
 A vision from the past?  
 Would summer berries taste as sweet?  
 The wild grape spice the air  
 With quite the winery fragrance that  
 In memory haunts me there?  
 Ah me! So many years have fled  
 And mingled joy with pain  
 I fear to seek the boy who once  
 Did walk in Gully Lane.

T.W.B.

The Town of Sandwich proudly shares the recognition shown this man. Thornton W. Burgess always referred to himself as a Cape Codder and took great pride in his heritage — a direct descendant of Thomas Burgess, one of the first to settle Sandwich, — and in the love of nature which he acquired as a youth here in Sandwich.

The museum opened at the Deacon Eldred House was very well attended and the committee recommends that it become a permanent part of Historic Sandwich.

Many thanks to all who helped in any way — it was the combined efforts of all that resulted in the successful community celebration.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY E. TITCOMB, Chairman  
 ROSANNA CULLITY  
 ELIZABETH PHILLIPS  
 W. GORDON SWAN  
 RUSSELL A. LOVELL, JR.  
 PENELOPE LOVELL, Secretary



## Report of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building Trustees

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

Submitted, herewith, is the report of the activities of your Trustees of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building.

This past year, July 1, 1974, to the present, has been one of increased activity by the Senior Citizens of the Town. Their numbers have increased as well as their activities. With the aid of the Council on Aging, they have expanded their program for the Senior Citizens.

Other organizations using the building are The Women's Club (crafts), The Sandwich Junior Women's Club, Arts and Crafts, Council on Aging, Home Makers Extension Service, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Bicentennial meetings and various other activities, private and organized. The American Legion Auxilliary has moved to their new quarters on Route 130 (Main Street). There is a very definite need to continue to maintain and operate the Memorial Building as a public place for people to meet.

The Trustees hope to have the outside of the building shingled and the trim painted, the chimney cleaned and repaired and some inside painting done this coming year.

This past year the floors were sanded, new surfaces installed in two bathrooms and front entry and the kitchen and hall painted. It is essential that these repairs and maintenance be done so that no major repairs will be necessary.

The Board of Trustees of Clark-Haddad Memorial Building wish to thank the citizens of the Town of Sandwich for their continued interest and support.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. VanBUSKIRK, Chairman  
CARL E. BAZZINOTTI  
CHARLES WENNERSTROM  
DENNIS EARLE  
CARL E. LEINO  
Memorial Building Trustees



## Report of the Sandwich Public Library

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### To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

Submitted herewith is the report of the Sandwich Public Library for the calendar year, 1974.

The library's greatest present need is for additional staff — a happy fact, since it is the result of the steadily increasing use and usefulness here recorded.

### The Collection.

One thousand three hundred and seventy-two books were added to the regular collection by purchase and 139 by gift bringing the total holdings (after withdrawals) to 30,973. There is a continuous effort to strengthen weak areas. For example, there were new titles in law, medicine, business, seamanship, retirement, mechanics, construction . . . ; to the Parents' Section were added books on aphasia, adoption, day nurseries, sex education, dyslexia, creativity, the hyperactive child, parenthood, psychological problems in family relations, and other topics. Classification and subject headings for all books and pamphlets on glass and on New England history, description and travel were revised to make the material more accessible through the catalog and on the shelves. At the same time, obsolete volumes in these areas were withdrawn. A manual of cataloging procedures to insure future consistency was started.

No count is kept of the popular paperback gift books added. Gift books not needed in the library are used for exchange.

A sizeable number of jigsaw puzzles were given for circulation.

Pamphlets selected for the vertical file were arranged and indexed by subject. This file contains information on over 600 subjects, including local laws and regulations.

Two hundred and seventeen large-print books were borrowed from the Falmouth Regional Collection for general circulation to the visually handicapped.

We selected 669 new books and 28 phonograph records from the Yarmouth Port Regional Depository to supplement our holdings.

The periodical, newspaper and continuation subscription list is geared both to reference and popular use, with emphasis on indexed journals with substantial content.

As of May, 1974, the photocopier lease was renewed, on a cost-free basis for the first time because of volume of use.

The Sandwich Junior Woman's Club continued to supply one family membership (for circulation) to the Museum of Science and the Children's Museum in Boston, and the Sandwich Woman's Club added two adult memberships to the Museum of Fine Arts.

In December, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bourne gave to the library a Kodak-Carousel slide projector which is now available for loan to Sandwich organizations, as well as for library use. Slide programs will shortly be available from the Eastern-Region collection.

In all of the mechanics of checking, ordering, claiming, cataloging, filing, mending, marking . . . volunteers were involved and invaluable.

### **Loan Use.**

During the year 53,946 books, 122 puzzles, 384 phonograph records, 35 pamphlets, 27 family museum tickets, and 46 motion-picture films were loaned. Seven of the films borrowed from the Boston Public Library Audio-Visual Department were for Sandwich organizations, 13 for the high school, the rest for showing in the library.

Six hundred and nineteen year-round residents, 10 non-residents, and 155 summer visitors registered during this period for borrowing privileges, bringing the total registered borrowers in the active file to 5,028. It is interesting that our summer borrowers come from some 300 towns.

### **Information and Reader's Advisory services.**

Approximately two thousand and one hundred requests for information requiring some search by the staff were answered. Many others requiring only knowledge of sources were answered simply by directing the inquirers to the relevant material. About one half of the reference work was with students. Adult requests were varied, with a sizeable number for trade or technical information. When our own collection

proved inadequate, material was traced through the Eastern Regional network. Two hundred and eighty-three books and 3 foreign-language-learning records were located and borrowed from other libraries for specific needs.

With grant funds the Eastern Regional Young-Adult Department purchased an extensive job-description, job-training and job-opportunity collection of printed and audio-visual material tailored to today's urgent needs. This was borrowed on long-term loan for use first at the high school, and then in the public library.

School classes and children's clubs continued to visit the library by pre-arrangement for instruction in its use, or information on special interests. The library staff continued to select blocks of books for circulation within elementary-school classrooms.

The photocopier adds a dimension to reference service, making it possible to copy maps, specifications, diagrams, special-encyclopedia items, etc., and to respond more adequately to telephone and mail requests. During the year 8060 photocopies were made by the public and 1233 by the library.

Exhibits arranged continuously by the staff are designed to acquaint readers with the variety of material and services available, particularly in less familiar areas. Publicity is designed for the same purpose. Informational flyers were prepared for distribution by the Welcome Wagon and through the schools. Monthly new-book lists were displayed in the library and sent to the schools. Information on social agencies, cultural and educational opportunities, historic sites, etc. was posted on the bulletin board, as was a calendar of all events in the community, kept up to date by a volunteer. Dorothy Fisher wrote the regular feature, "Library Notes", for the **Village Broadside**.

#### **Programs, meetings, events.**

Three series of public programs were presented by the library: — during the winter, a contemporary-poetry series with eight gifted poets of this area reading from their works, and a travel-slide by Sandwich residents; in July and August, six programs on aspects of Cape Cod.

The weekly pre-school story hours as conducted by Susan Klein were developmental experiences in the happiest sense, and the bi-weekly motion-picture film showings offered by the Junior Woman's Club, also for the very young, were a



delight. William Collins provided a popular weekly hour on the terrace during the summer for the five-to eight-year-olds. In April, Winnie Fitch Houston and John Houston entertained a capacity crowd of children and parents together with the stories and music of their books. As part of the Burgess Centennial Celebration planned by Nancy Titcomb, the two programs on the library lawn both attracted over one hundred children.

In April, a Friends-of-the-Sandwich-Library organization was formed whose purpose as stated in the by-laws is "to promote knowledge and use of the library's resources and services; to assist in various ways, consistent with the library's policies, to extend its usefulness to the community". Its immediate objective was to sponsor programs. During October and November it presented four adult feature films for the public without charge, and in December a Children's-book and Craft Fair. "Friends" groups are nationwide and have added immeasurably to library effectiveness.

In addition to library events, the activities room was used for meetings of the Sandwich Historical Commission, Sandwich Gardeners, Council on Aging, Senior Citizen's Club Council, Operation Mainstream, RSVP, and the Literature and Drama Group and the Bicentennial Committee of the Sandwich Woman's Club.

The gifts and services of many citizens are gratefully acknowledged. Their names are recorded in the library.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE WALKER, Librarian



**WESTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY FUND  
TRUSTEES REPORT**

**January 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974**

Investments	Book Value	Total Income
<b>Mary Crocker Baker Fund</b>		
Bass River Savings Bank	\$ 804.66	\$ 69.68
Plymouth Savings Bank	3,000.00	303.87
Consumers Pwr Bond 5 7/8	10,177.70	881.25
Eastman Kodak	4,887.50	137.00
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	\$18,869.86	\$ 1,391.00
<b>Hannah B. Belcher Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-op Bank	546.56	41.08
Sandwich Co-op Bank	4,000.00	403.51
American Tel. & Tel. Co.	2,242.34	364.56
I. B. M.	3,034.00	78.00
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	\$ 9,822.90	\$ 887.15
<b>Annie Chamberlin Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-op Bank	1,000.00	100.69
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	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 100.69
<b>Harriet M. Faunce Trust</b>		
Plymouth Savings Bank	2,000.00	202.55
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	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 202.55
<b>John Frank Giles Fund</b>		
Plymouth Savings Bank	2,000.00	202.55
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	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 202.55
<b>W. Dodge MacKnight Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-op Bank	35.37	.00
Sandwich Co-op Bank	1,000.00	100.88
State Street Bank & Trust Co. 3/14/74	149,410.74	11,961.09
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	\$150,426.11	\$12,061.97

**Charles Macy Fund**

Bass River Savings Bank	6,086.26	589.55
Sandwich Co-op Bank	273.69	21.72
Am. Tel. & Tel. 5 1/2 Deb.	5,073.85	412.50
Hyannis Co-op Bank	6,800.00	575.38
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	\$ 18,233.80	\$ 1,599.15

**Nathaniel Nye Fund**

Wareham Savings Bank	1,164.91	117.96
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	\$ 1,164.91	\$ 117.96

**Weston Fund**

Bass River Savings Bank	3,626.79	349.44
Cape Cod Five Cent Savings	1,000.00	96.49
Plymouth Savings Bank	7,447.46	755.86
Sandwich Co-op Bank	800.00	60.43
Sandwich Co-op Bank	3,000.00	302.63
Sandwich Co-op Bank	32.11	.00
Charter Bank Inc.	1,200.00	785.40
Exxon Corp.	6,007.71	740.00
General Motors Corp.	2,755.88	278.00
I. B. M.	836.89	22.80
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	\$ 26,706.84	\$ 3,391.05
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$230,244.42</b>	<b>\$19,954.87</b>

**TRUSTEES REPORT**  
**WESTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY FUNDS**

**July 1, 1974 to December 31, 1974**

Investments	Book Value	Total Income
<b>Mary Crocker Baker Fund</b>		
Bass River Savings Bank	\$ 804.66	\$ 23.67
Consumers Power 5 7/8 1st Mort. Deb.	1,017.70	293.75
Plymouth Savings Bank	3,000.00	111.30
Eastman Kodak	5,887.50	39.00
Total	\$ 10,709.86	\$ 467.72
<b>Hannah H. Belcher Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-op Bank	\$ 546.56	\$ 14.62
Sandwich Co-op Bank	4,000.00	143.20
American Tel. & Tel.	2,242.34	136.08
International Business Machine	3,034.00	33.00
Total	\$ 9,822.90	\$ 326.90
<b>Anne Chamberlin Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-op Bank	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 35.80
Total	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 35.80
<b>Harriet M. Faunce Trust</b>		
Plymouth Savings Bank	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 74.20
Total	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 74.20
<b>John Frank Giles Fund</b>		
Plymouth Savings Bank	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 74.20
Total	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 74.20
<b>W. Dodge MacKnight Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-op Bank	\$ 39.73	.00
Sandwich Co-op Bank	1,000.00	35.80
State Street Bank & Trust Co.	165,939.77	4,476.00
Total	\$166,979.50	\$ 4,511.80

**Charles Macy Fund**

Bass River Savings Bank	\$ 6,186.10	\$ 203.82
Sandwich Co-op Bank	273.69	3.72
American Tel. & Tel. Deb. 5½	5,073.85	137.50
Hyannis Co-op Bank	6,800.00	263.43
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Total	\$ 18,333.64	\$ 612.07

**Nathaniel Nye Fund**

Plymouth Savings Bank	\$ 1,164.91	\$ 43.20
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Total	\$ 1,164.91	\$ 43.20

**Weston Fund**

Bass River Savings Bank	\$ 3,666.75	\$ 120.80
Cape Cod Bank 5¢ Savings	1,000.00	33.33
Plymouth Savings Bank	7,447.46	276.26
Sandwich Co-op Bank	800.00	22.46
Sandwich Co-op Bank	34.59	.00
Charter Bank (Plymouth)	1,200.00	264.00
Exxon Corp.	6,007.71	280.00
General Motors	2,755.88	68.00
International Business Machine	1,069.00	18.00
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Total	\$ 26,981.39	\$ 1,181.25
Total All Funds	\$238,952.47	\$ 7,327.14

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## Report of the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational - Technical School District

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To the Citizens of Sandwich:

In compliance with Section 13 of the Agreement between the towns of the district, this annual report is submitted.

The membership of the Committee follows:

Town of Bourne—Frederick W. McComiskey  
Peter N. Way

Town of Falmouth—James M. Crossen  
M. Gregg Hibbs

Town of Marion—Warren L. Washburn, Vice Chairman

Town of Sandwich—Edgar E. Caron, Chairman

Town of Wareham—Robert A. Braman  
William E. C. Warr, III

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Treasurer—John S. Jillson

Assistant Treasurer—Martha B. Overlock

Secretary—Arthur L. Sweetman

Superintendent-Director—Arthur L. Sweetman

September fourth marked the beginning of our sixth year at the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School with an enrollment of 567. Our school is in operation from 7:45 a.m. to 2:20 p.m. for our regular day program and from 2:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. for our supplementary program.

The Supplementary Program is designed to offer as much occupational education as possible to the students of the five-town district. Although the students who attend from 2:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. will not be able to receive the same amount of training as our full-time day students, we feel it is a good program which offers many opportunities to explore the various occupations. The length of the school day still creates a problem for those students whose sending schools do not provide released time. This means that if the sending school is not able to adjust a youngster's schedule, he must

be in school from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. We feel that if this program is to continue, the sending school must adopt a more flexible schedule to shorten the length of time a student must attend before coming to the Upper Cape Regional at 2:30 p.m.

Our Cooperative Program is now in its fourth year, and considering the economy, it is still working very well. The program not only offers an opportunity for a student to receive more on-the-job training while earning money but it alleviates the overcrowding in our shops.

In order to offer more opportunities for girls at the Upper Cape Regional, we are developing a new Health Services Program which we hope will be operational by September 1975. The program will begin with the ninth and eleventh grades participating during the first year and continue the following year with a full offering to all four grades. It will include dietary aide, nurse aide, health services assistant, and medical office aide. We intend to submit a proposal to the State Department of Education for full funding. In the past, we have been funded for all new programs and we feel sure that we will once again be successful.

This year is no exception to years past in that our students have contributed many thousands of dollars' worth of labor in a variety of projects on town-owned property and for non-profit organizations in our five towns. The highlight of this year's projects is the construction of a complete new house. In this house-building program we are able to utilize many shops, such as, drafting, electrical, carpentry, masonry, plumbing and heating, and painting and decorating. This endeavor has been so rewarding to the students and so successful economically to the non-profit organization sponsoring the project that we are currently seeking a similar undertaking for the coming year.

With the completion of four tennis courts, our intramural athletic program has been expanded one step further, and in September 1975 we will include tennis as another interscholastic sport.

The Regional School District, in the way of financial assistance in 1974, received \$355,646.00 representing 88% of our 50% reimbursement of net operating expense, and \$75,249.84 or 91% of the transportation reimbursement. Also

received was \$660.97 for a library grant and \$20,353.00 under PL 81-874 for federally connected pupils.

In addition to this money, the towns of Bourne, Falmouth, Sandwich, and Wareham were entitled to receive an additional fifteen percent of their Chapter 70 entitlement.

Bourne's fifteen percent amounted to	\$104,432.00
Falmouth's fifteen percent amounted to	88,408.00
Sandwich's fifteen percent amounted to	21,402.00
Wareham's fifteen percent amounted to	53,094.00

It is important to note that these funds are sent directly to the communities, not to the regional school district, as an additional fifteen percent state aid given only to communities who are part of a regional district. However, there is no requirement that the funds be used for the school budget. These also are entitlements, not distributions. Distribution is made on the basis of funds available.

I would like once again to thank my fellow school committee members and advisory board members, all school employees, and the town and school officials of our district for their interest, concern, and support. The success of our school is due to the help and cooperation of all of these people.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR E. CARON  
Chairman



**UPPER CAPE COD REGIONAL  
VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

**January 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974**

**Receipts****1973-1974 Assessments**

Bourne	\$271,219.85	
Falmouth	383,466.69	
Marion	58,312.51	
Sandwich	74,620.15	
Wareham	287,813.68	
	<hr/>	\$1,075,432.68

**School Lunch Account**

Cafeteria Sales	40,525.19	
State & Federal Reimbursements	23,593.85	
	<hr/>	64,119.04

**Federal Funds**

PL 92-318 Salaries & Equipment	21,678.00	
PL 81-874 Federally Affected	42,504.00	
ESEA Title II Library	549.37	
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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts****Reimbursement—**

Operating 1972	331,701.00	
Operating 1973	350,646.00	
Transportation 1972	90,335.00	
Transp. (Partial) 1973	46,639.41	
Construction Grant 1973	62,949.32	
Construction Grant 1974	62,949.32	
	<hr/>	945,220.05

**Miscellaneous**

Shops	12,319.46	
Telephone Commission	73.92	
Refunds—Gym Suits	743.25	
Physical Damage Claim	1,316.00	
Health Insurance Dividend	1,968.00	
V.A. Report Fee	16.00	
Health Insurance Refund—State	240.12	
Travel Refund	30.00	
	<hr/>	16,706.75



Tuition Payments—Day	28,189.26	
Tuition Payments—Evening	2,319.00	
Registration Fees—Evening	3,454.90	
Sales Tax	4.23	
Employees' Payroll Deductions	292,275.70	
Investments Maturing	200,000.00	
Interest On Investments	15,250.01	
Interest On Savings	82,967.90	
Athletic Revolving	326.92	
Book Revolving	293.91	
	<hr/>	625,081.83
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>		<hr/> <hr/> \$2,791,291.72 <hr/> <hr/>

**Expenditures**

School Committee		
Administrative Expense		\$8,337.03
Superintendent's Office		
Administrative Salaries	\$60,547.50	
Other Expense	1,710.01	
Supplies and Materials	1,939.36	
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Expense of Instruction		
Administrative Salaries	111,382.23	
Supplies, Postage, Travel	5,427.92	
Instructors' Salaries	753,063.37	
Instructional Supplies	68,589.61	
Textbooks	5,859.12	
Library Books	9,364.33	
Evening School	13,510.91	
	<hr/>	967,197.49
Other School Activities		
Guidance Salaries	53,843.55	
Supplies & Expense	1,422.20	
Health Salaries	12,936.22	
Health Supplies & Expense	520.82	
Cafeteria Salaries	13,394.51	
Cafeteria Supplies & Expense	2,945.77	
Athletic Salaries	11,647.94	
Athletic Equip. & Expense	9,716.71	
Student Body Activities Expense	2,943.29	
Pupil Transportation	128,286.25	
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Operation and Maintenance		
Custodial Salaries	93,188.79	
Custodial Supplies	6,270.90	
Fuel & Utilities	74,698.38	
Maintenance—		
Building/Grounds	13,199.33	
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		187,357.60
Fixed Charges		
Insurance		47,717.50
PL 92-318 & PL 81-874		
Instruction & Equipment		59,207.02
ESEA Title II—Library		
Supplies		651.10
Revolving Funds		
School Lunch	62,153.11	
Athletic Program	332.85	
Book Revolving	76.95	
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		62,562.91
Sales Taxes		4.10
Employees' Payroll Deductions		291,317.63
Physical Damage		1,105.67
Investments		200,000.00
Debt Service		
Principal (Bond Issue)	165,000.00	
Interest	155,430.00	
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		320,430.00
School Construction		96,516.33
School Construction—Addition		99,497.70
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES		<u><u>\$2,643,756.21</u></u>

### SUMMARY

January 1, 1973, Balance On Hand	
School Lunch Revolving Fund	\$1,372.05
Athletic Revolving Fund	473.16
Book Revolving Fund	484.67
Sales Tax Account	1.00
PL 90-576 & PL 92-318	4,243.00
PL 81-874	34,117.00
ESEA Title II—Library	101.73
Physical Damage	106.50
Employees' Payroll Deduction	11.93

Health Insurance Reserve	11.93	
Library Book Reserve	1,372.64	
Committee Expense Reserve	1,608.60	
Grounds Care Reserve	2,414.48	
Surplus Revenue	464,276.00	
Canopy Reserve	14,400.00	
Reserve for Capital Costs	11,731.28	
School Construction	92,208.43	
Operating Reimbursement 1971	274,210.00	
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		\$ 903,153.40
Plus Receipts—1973 - 1974		2,791,291.72
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		3,694,445.12
Less Expenditures—1973 - 1974		2,643,756.21
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June 30, 1974, Balance On Hand		
School Lunch Revolving	\$3,337.98	
Athletics Revolving	467.23	
Book Revolving	701.63	
Sales Tax Account	1.13	
PL 92-318	830.98	
*PL 81-874	25,835.00	
PL 81-874		
(Reserve—1975-76 Budget)	16,669.00	
Physical Damage	316.83	
Employees' Payroll Deduction	970.00	
Health Insurance Reserve	2,400.09	
Library & Textbook Reserve	2,753.31	
Grounds Care Reserve	2,605.59	
Instructional Salary Reserve	60,140.73	
Surplus Revenue	416,384.00	
Reserve for Capital Costs	11,731.28	
School Construction	44,967.10	
School Construction—Addition	342.30	
**Operating Reimb.—1973	150,646.00	
**Construction Reimb.—1974	62,949.32	
**Transportation Reimb.—1973	46,639.41	
**Surplus Transfer—		
For 1974-1975 Budget	200,000.00	
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		\$1,050,688.91
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\* Credited to towns to reduce their assessments for 1974-75.

\*\* To be used to reduce the budget for 1974-1975.

**Statement of Annual Charges Assessed**

1. Net Amounts to be raised and appropriated for 7/1/74-6/30/75 Operating Budget:

	<b>Pupil Enrollment 10/1/73</b>		<b>Credit PL 81-874</b>	<b>Net</b>
Bourne	124	\$106,816.74	\$11,842.76	\$ 94,973.98
Falmouth	190	163,639.13	10,225.49	153,413.64
Marion	26	22,401.59	537.37	21,864.22
Sandwich	39	33,578.99	- 0 -	33,578.99
Wareham	164	141,237.55	3,229.38	138,008.17

2. Amounts to be raised and appropriated for 7/1/74-6/30/75 Capital Budget:

Bourne	\$44,350.43
Falmouth	76,927.99
Marion	12,541.96
Sandwich	16,702.90
Wareham	46,677.40

JOHN S. JILLSON, Treasurer



## School Building Committee Report

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

Starting with the ground breaking ceremonies on January 3, 1974, the school building programs have progressed very well. Several minor strikes and a delay in receiving structural steel have caused some problems in progress, but in projects of this magnitude these are to be expected. Undoubtedly one of the best decisions that the committee made was the selection of William Howard Pease as the Clerk of the Works. Mr. Pease's experience, knowledge, common sense, and ability to communicate have saved countless time, energy, and money for the Town, and will insure that the job specifications, materials, etc., will be as specified and that quality workmanship will be performed. Richard Sprague is Mr. Pease's assistant, and is assigned primarily to the Elementary School.

The architectural firm of Drummey, Rosane, and Anderson has provided excellent service and, most important, their work has kept change orders to a minimum as of this date. Another factor in the smooth and orderly program is the help, cooperation, and advice given by so many people, especially town officials, Selectmen, Town Engineer, Treasurer, Accountant, Building and Health Inspectors, Fire and Police Chiefs, Water Dept. Supervisor, Civilian Defense Head, Dept. of Public Safety, Thomas Carr, and representatives of New Bedford Gas & Light Co., and many others.

The building committee meets regularly each month to review the progress and schedule of work to be done. At a typical meeting, the committee will authorize payment of bills, discuss current problems, select colors, auditorium seating, and equipment for the buildings. Money is the overriding factor in most meetings. Due to the fact that the low bid of the elementary school was invalid, we are faced with a deficit in our budget of over \$211,000.00. At the beginning of the project we were hopeful that we could, by use of the money available in the contingency and equipment fund, save this amount of money and not have to come back to the town for additional funds. At this time, due to the energy crisis and inflation, I believe that it would be wise to ask the town for some additional funds. All equipment and money

spent while the building is under construction will be reimbursed 50% by the State. It would seem that it would be the best use of the town's money to see that the buildings are adequately equipped now rather than waiting for a future date when the town will have to pay the entire cost of any equipment at probably a much higher price.

It seems that daily there are telephone calls, conferences, requests for visits to the sites, and mail, all relating to the building programs. Some of the major events of the past year have been varied, time consuming, and distressing. In January, Frank Bess, Walter Fagnant, Howard Crowell, Supt. of Schools Dr. D'Antuono, Town Counsel Alan Green, Attorney William Magnant, Architect Arthur Brown of Boston, and Stanley Torrey, all representing the Town of Sandwich, made several trips to Hartford, Connecticut, where we were in arbitration with Warren Ashley, the former Architect, whose services were terminated in April, 1973, and who had filed a suit which claimed that \$130,396.93 was due him. When we reached Hartford, this claim was raised to \$232,174.00. Due in part to the fine efforts of our attorneys we only had to pay Mr. Ashley \$16,189.10 which we feel was a very just amount.

As we began the actual work of construction, we encountered three problems. We found that the property for the Jr.-Sr. High School site, off Quaker Meeting House Road, had never been surveyed. After surveying the property and setting the boundaries, we found that it was necessary to revise or twist the two westerly fields slightly so that we would not be on property owned by someone else. We also requested that the selectmen acquire by purchase, or eminent domain, the property to the west of the site for possible future needs. During excavation at the Elementary School site an abandoned septic tank was found which provided us with our first major change order. The cost of making the change was \$9,213.82 but was negotiated down to \$7,500.00.

An abutter informed us at about the same time that construction had prevented egress from his property. This matter is now being attended to by Town Counsel. We might point out at this time that we have been very conscious of our obligation to conserve the natural environment at the Quaker Meeting House Road location. For example, in the initial land clearing two large holly trees on the site were saved. We have also requested that both contractors hire local help whenever possible.



During the spring of 1974 when fuel costs had increased, we requested that another fuel analysis be made to find out which fuel, oil or electricity, would be least expensive. Originally electricity was cheaper by over \$2,000. The new analysis estimated that electricity would be \$142,048.00 per year and oil \$157,322.00. The Town should therefore save approximately \$15,000 per year by its choice of electricity.

Due to the national shortage and energy crisis in this past year, the Massachusetts legislature passed a bill which allowed contractors to file claim for price increases in excess of 25%. This piece of legislation had caused us some problems. The paving contractor was the first to request additional funds \$42,000.00. The contractor at the high school site, has informed us that they estimate that they, and the sub-contractors, will be requesting up to \$250,000.00 under this law. In July Franchi Brothers also requested an extension of construction time due to late deliveries of structural steel. At the present time we are about 15% behind schedule at this site. Most of this loss has been due primarily to the late steel delivery. This same company has also requested an additional \$93,149.90 and four months additional time to complete the sewage treatment plant. We have agreed to pay them \$1,670.31. We are also entering arbitration with the Franchi Brothers for \$51,830.60 for additional concrete for the light pole bases. In November we requested Town Counsel to inform the Franchi Brothers that we intend to press the liquidated damage clause of \$300 per day. We were about 15% behind schedule at that time. We also have a lien by Cape Way Sheet Metal for \$27,000.00.

The Wexler Corporation, through an extraordinary effort, was able to complete major renovations on the Elementary School so the school opened on schedule. We are very pleased with the cooperation we have received from the Wexler Company and their Superintendent, Ray Brodeur. Through their efforts we have been able to continue school while the renovations have been in progress.

In September we met with the Selectmen to update them and find out the procedure and time to ask the town for added funds. We had additional change orders for a change in the type of insulation to be used in the roof of both buildings. The material specified in the contract was not available at this time and we were forced to change to fiberglass at a cost of \$11,950.00 at the High School, and \$3,500.00 at the

Elementary School. The Dept. of Public Safety was responsible for a change order since their new regulations require that we enlarge the entrance to the new High School. The additional cost will be \$9,000.00. We also had some change orders for additional wiring and water to the athletic fields. We reviewed the fire protection system at the High School where we found that our standpipe system (this is used in most of the new schools) was approximately \$225,000.00 cheaper than a sprinkler system.

We found also that a roof on the 1958 section of the elementary building needed replacing at an additional cost of \$2,000.00. I believe it is obvious that we have had a busy year, and we expect that 1975 will bring us more of the same.

The following information on Change Requests and changes within the scope of the contract have occurred to date:

**Elementary School:**

Approved Changes	\$21,312.00
Pending Changes	4,904.00

**Jr./Sr. High School**

Approved Changes	\$30,824.00
Pending Changes	8,964.00

Included in these change requests are items such as Fire Alarm Systems' Revisions, Electrical Lighting Revisions, Re-routing Foundation Drains, Re-routing Water Main (unknown foundation walls uncovered), and Revised Sanitary Lines and Manholes at the Elementary School. Present conditions have restricted use of oil by-products and Petro-Chemical related materials. To insure completion of each project, substitutions have been approved.

If there was any disappointment during the year it was because of our inability to keep the town and community fully informed as to our progress and problems.

In closing, I want to express my thanks to the Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Anthony D'Antuono. Without his help, guidance, and support, I know that we would not be as far along as we are now. He is working to insure that we have a school system that we can all be proud of. The staff in his office have also been most cooperative. The committee has not always been in agreement on many subjects or discus-



sions, but everyone has continued to provide strength and cooperation regardless of whichever side of an issue he was on. The responsibilities of this committee are great.

I should like to ask the Committee members, school administrators, and other dedicated people who have given many, many hours of untiring work to continue to cooperate; for with this kind of team effort, we can and will have an educational complex that will meet our needs now and for many years to come.

We will try to keep you, the taxpayers of Sandwich, better informed as we go along on our expansion program.

Again my thanks and gratitude for all the cooperation and patience that all the citizens, and interested and involved people, have shown to the Sandwich School Building Committee.

Following is a breakdown of the Proposed Budget for the Elementary and Jr./Sr. High School:

Estimated Cost of Work	Elementary	High School	Totals
General Contract	\$2,107,884.	\$6,957,767.	\$9,065,651.
Architects' fee	163,983.	442,902.	606,885.
Equipment, fixed	84,256.	363,936.	448,192.
Equipment, moveable	90,744.	536,064.	626,808.
Site development (part G.C.)	50,000.	1,000,000.	1,050,000.
Borings & surveys	2,000.	7,600.	9,600.
Testing	12,000.	40,000.	52,000.
Printing	10,000.	20,000.	30,000.
Clerk	35,000.	40,000.	75,000.
Advertising	400.	2,400.	2,800.
Contingency	100,000.	200,000.	300,000.
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,656,267.</b>	<b>\$9,610,669.</b>	<b>\$12,266,936.</b>
<b>Method of Financing</b>			
From Taxation	\$ 47,071.	\$ 183,167.	\$ 230,238.
Sale of Bonds	2,397,498.	9,427,502.	11,825,000.
Future Request	211,698.	0.	211,698.
	<b>\$2,656,267.</b>	<b>\$9,610,669.</b>	<b>\$12,266,936.</b>

STANLEY A. TORREY, Chmn.  
Sandwich School Building Comm.



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FOR 1974

## School Organization

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### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Roland F. DeConto, Chairman	1977
Betty Bridges	1977
David Persson, Secretary	1976
William R. Hendy	1976
Roberta F. Leydon, Vice Chairman	1975
Stanley A. Torrey	1975

### SUPERINTENDENT

Anthony D'Antuono, 190 Waterside Drive, No. Falmouth  
 Administrative Assistant: Linwood E. Clarke,  
 54 Bayberry Drive, Westport  
 Office: Sea Lake Corporation Building  
 Telephone: 888-1054

### PRINCIPALS

Sandwich High School  
 James H. Sibson, Foster Road, East Sandwich  
 Assistant: John J. Chisholm, Slough Rd., Brewster  
 School Telephone: 888-0220

Sandwich Elementary School  
 James G. Dolan, 382 Main Street, Yarmouth Port  
 Assist: Edmund D. Twomey, 15 Camelot Rd., Yarmouth Port  
 School Telephone: 888-1343

### GUIDANCE COUNSELORS

R. Theodore Steinhilber, Box 86, W. Barnstable  
 Dolores A. Bush, 4 Lovells Lane, Marstons Mills  
 School Telephone: 888-3666

### SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST

Grace Day, 67 Greenville Drive, Forestdale  
 School Telephone: 888-3666

### CAFETERIA SUPERVISOR

Jean Richards, Snake Pond Road, Forestdale  
 School Telephone: 888-3666



## CLERKS

Dagny M. Miller — Superintendent's Office  
 Joanne M. Fettig — Superintendent's Office  
 Doris M. McNamara — Superintendent's Office  
 Janet M. Trenholm — Guidance Office  
 Marie Hamlen — High School Office  
 Donna Dinius — High School Office  
 Janice A. Brule — Elementary School Office  
 Eleanor C. Winslow — Elementary School Office  
 Katherine Alvezi — School Psychologist's Office  
 Ruth M. Tyback — Cafeteria Office (Part time)

## SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

John H. Lewis, M.D. 888-0770

## SCHOOL NURSE

Janet E. Davis, R.N. 888-1378

## BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Roy F. Drew 888-0749

## CUSTODIANS

Norman E. Weekes	888-1210
Gerald O. Downing	
John R. Powers	759-3229
Austin F. Finn	888-2950
Leonard J. DeCota	888-2906
Elmer F. Brackett	362-6892
George W. Hallahan	477-9206
William Parks	888-0540
Gary Anthony	888-1812
Robert White	888-2662

## School Calendar

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1975

**Winter Term:**

January 6 through February 14

**Winter Recess:**

February 17 through February 21

**Early Spring Term:**

February 24 through April 18

**Spring Recess:**

April 21 through April 25

**Late Spring Term:**

April 28 through June 27

**Fall Term:**

September 2 through December 19

**Thanksgiving Recess:**

November 27 and 28

**Christmas Recess:**

December 22 through December 31

**No School:**

Martin Luther King Day — January 15

Good Friday — March 28

Memorial Day — May 26

Columbus Day — October 13

Veterans' Day — October 27

Barnstable County Convention Day — October 10

## General Information

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### **School Committee Meetings:**

School Committee meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Henry T. Wing School.

### **School Entrance:**

#### **Kindergarten—**

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend kindergarten provided he has reached the age of four years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

#### **Grade One—**

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend Grade One provided he has reached the age of five years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

The State Laws require that all children seven years of age and over, who are physically and mentally able, attend school.

### **Birth Certificate:**

A birth certificate is required for all children entering either Kindergarten or Grade One.

### **Medical Requirements:**

Medical requirements for school entrance are immunizations, according to the General Laws of Massachusetts, certified by a doctor; also, a physical examination is mandatory.

### **No School:**

Every effort will be made to have school whenever feasible. On days when transportation by bus is impossible, school will not be in session. Notice will be broadcast over radio stations WEEI, WNAC, WBZ, WHDH, and WOCB at 7:00, 7:30 and 8:00 a.m. Also, there will be one long signal from the Sandwich and East Sandwich Fire Stations at 7:00 a.m. and at 8:00 a.m. In the event that it becomes necessary to close school before the regular dismissal time due to power failure, severe weather conditions, etc., the above radio stations will broadcast this information at 12:00 noon.

## Superintendent of Schools

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To the School Committee and the Citizens  
of the Town of Sandwich:

It is a pleasure for me to report on the activities of our public schools for the year 1974.

This past year has been an unusual one in that insufficient classroom space at both the elementary and secondary levels has caused double sessions for Grades 7-12. The administration of double sessions has also been complicated by the on-going construction within the school building.

In spite of these major problems, I believe that our educational progress has been excellent.

Of special interest to the public, as well as to the School Administration, is the very substantial progress in our school building program. Renovation of the Henry T. Wing School was about three-fourths complete and one month ahead of schedule at the end of the year. Unfortunately, construction of the new community high school has not proceeded as we would wish, or even according to our contracted agreement. The School Building Committee has been forced to assess liquidated damages at the rate of \$300 per day against Franchi Brothers Construction Company as a result of a nearly ninety-day lag in their work. Obviously every effort is being made by both the Committee and the school administration to protect tax dollars by strict compliance with the legally binding contract. We still hope to see the new facility completed as nearly on schedule as possible.

The Sandwich School Committee and myself had many sleepless nights pondering the problem of opening of school in September. Despite the many obstacles we were facing and with the cooperation of the Sandwich Building Committee, building contractor, administration, teachers, and our custodial staff, we were able to open on time. Our gratitude and appreciation should go to the Shawme Rod and Gun Club, for without their cooperation we could not have opened our kindergartens until late in the year.

Both before and during 1974 concrete action was taken to comply fully with such Commonwealth of Massachusetts regulations as Chapter 622 and Chapter 766. Sandwich actually anticipated by more than a year the need to end any



discrimination in its schools on the basis of sex, as is now required by law under Chapter 622. All of our home economics and industrial arts courses are, and have been for more than a year, open to male and female students alike. In addition, an intensive Kindergarten Screening Program, together with the addition of new Special Education personnel, have made possible all the services called for under the new Chapter 766 Special Needs Law. Increasingly, our schools are better able to meet the special needs of more and more students, regardless of how personalized or complex these needs might be. Meeting individual needs and integrating these students into our regular curriculum programs is our ultimate goal.

In fact, individualized, continuous progress learning — a goal to work toward a year ago — has become a reality today. The Mathematics, Reading and Social Science Programs have all been revised and updated. Our teachers and students alike are enthusiastic about these individualized and sequentially developed curriculum materials. Sandwich is also one of the twelve Southeastern Massachusetts School Systems working together to develop the concept of Individually Guided Education (I.G.E.) and the restructuring of the elementary school into a multi-unit, continuous progress facility. Under the able leadership of Principal James G. Dolan, and in cooperation with the I.G.E. Area League Director, Dr. John Stefani, the successful completion of this transition is assured. To facilitate further the implementation of the new concepts and curriculum, Teacher Training Workshops, with expert consultants, have been provided during the summer and on an In-Service basis during the school year. We constantly hear comments from parents that they feel both better informed and more directly and importantly involved in the education of their children.

With the approval of the School Committee, the school administration office engaged the services of Mr. Linwood E. Clarke, Jr., a former Superintendent of Schools, as Administrative Aide. Mr. Clarke has had a great variety of educational experience and in his new capacity has worked very closely with the architect, engineer, administrators and staff members in purchasing equipment at substantial saving of between \$50,000 and \$60,000, yet not sacrificing quality and needs. Coupled with this responsibility, he has been able to save the town an additional \$8,000 - \$10,000 on purchasing of equipment and government surplus items. He

also assists this office in Federal projects and budget preparation.

I should like to express my appreciation to Mr. Sibson, the High School Principal, for his cooperation in working with and around the many obstacles that building construction and double sessions presented. It is because of his efforts that our educational philosophy and programs have not stagnated. He, along with the Department Heads, are continually revising and updating the secondary programs and assuming the responsibility of coordination and articulation with the elementary school program.

As I noted above, space problems forced Grades 7-12 to adopt double sessions in September. I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the administration, staff, and students for their cooperation and on the way they have reacted and adjusted to the situation. This shows a true team effort and approach which is always indicative of the Sandwich people.

Public school education in Sandwich has become so much a team effort and indeed a community concern that it would be impossible to thank personally or by name all who merit and have my appreciation and yours. However, I do wish to record my personal thanks to the School Committee, the School Building Committee, my own fine office and administrative staff, the teaching, clerical, and maintenance personnel of our schools, and especially to the many citizens who have volunteered their time and talent to helping busy teachers with non-teaching responsibilities.

Probably progress itself is the best way of showing appreciation — progress toward our stated purpose of providing quality education for everyone in the community, children, young people, adults, and senior citizens, with courses and counseling for everyone. With the formation soon, I hope, of an eleven-member Community School Executive Council along the lines I proposed to the School Committee in December of 1974, we shall be well on our way toward the fulfillment of this purpose. As we proceed, please continue to know of my desire and that of the entire school system to meet with and talk with any citizen or group interested in the Sandwich Public Schools. Being your Superintendent of Schools is a challenge and a pleasure as well.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY D'ANTUONO  
Superintendent of Schools

## Report of the High School Principal

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To the School Committee and the  
Superintendent of Schools:

Our School Enrollment as of December 31, 1974:

Grade 7	107
Grade 8	105
Grade 9	92
Grade 10	101
Grade 11	91
Grade 12	71

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Total	567
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The Glass Chapter of the National Honor Society inducted into its membership the following students: Victoria Biggers, Jan Soderberg, Arthur O'Brien, Maria Cervantes, Ann Marie Glynn, Mary Guilimette, Christine Laffoon, Diane Luciani, Matthew Mahoney, Scott Morris, Laurie Meeks, Andrew Gelson, Michele McNamara, Mary Ellen Walsh, Karl Uggerholt, Wayne Burke, Diana Evans, Eileen Fraser, Mark Hamlen, Betsy Lane, James Miller, Dennis Parker, Kathryn Small, Jane Taylor and William Troyanos.

The Student Council of Sandwich High School sponsored the annual "Activities Night" for students who participated in extracurricular programs during the school year. The Edwin Zion Good Sportsmanship Award was presented to: Myles Hickey, Laurie Schmelzer and Jean Sibson.

The Sandwich High School Soccer Team won the Cape Cod Championship with an undefeated season. Our soccer team earned the privilege of representing the league in State Tournament play. Members of the team who won special recognition are Gerald DeConto, James Miller and Russell Schmelzer, who made first team All Cape. John Hendy, Kenneth Hawes and Michael Ward made second team All Cape. In addition, James Miller made All Eastern Massachusetts and Gerald DeConto made All Eastern Massachusetts and All State honors.



The Sandwich High School Ice Hockey Team won the Cape and Islands League Championship with an undefeated season. The team represented the league in State Tournament play. Players winning All League honors were Kenneth Hawes, Paul Miskovsky and David Allen. Honorable All Cape honors went to Paul Miskovsky and Kenneth Hawes. Thanks to the townspeople, a very successful championship banquet was held for the team.

The Sandwich High School Golf Team won the Cape and Islands Championship. The following team members represented Sandwich High School in the individual State Golf Tournament: Paul Denney and Randy Lewis.

The Fall of 1974 saw double sessions introduced to Sandwich Junior-Senior High School. A careful study was made of many alternative plans to find the best solution for our situation. Double sessions were thought to be the best answer, considering all problems; the students of Grades 9-12 coming in the first session from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and students in Grades 7 and 8 coming in from 12:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. I would say, at this point in time, that the program has many more positive contributions towards education than negative. A better evaluation can be made of the program at the end of the school year.

We have more space, however, to use for academic subjects and have expanded in this area. Special areas such as Physical Education, Industrial Arts, Arts, Home Economics and Music have increased enrollments because of the extended day and these programs are functioning very well.

For some years, perceptive educational theorists and practitioners have been calling for viable alternatives to the traditional classroom activities of our secondary schools. Our youth need experiences that will put them in touch with adults and the world of work and community participation experiences that will serve as bridges between the classroom and the "real world" of the larger community. The school no doubt should and will continue its role in skill development, to help students make some order out of the multitude of bits of information that need to fit into patterns that the individual can manage and understand. It is outside of the classroom, in programs planned and supervised cooperatively by the school and employer, that pupils can best learn behaviors leading them to become responsible and productive adults.



In view of the above paragraph, the faculty and the administrators have been writing various Federal Projects to help expand some of our programs into the "real world". These projects should combine the community and the school into a learning situation for students who seek work experience. We have some students on work-study programs at the present time. The benefits of these programs seem to be:

They provide learning experiences that youth otherwise would miss, service to others, responsibility for others, interaction with various age groups, gaining competencies for work, and generally becoming involved with the working world of adults.

One should remember that these programs are a small part of our total educational program and merely expand the school into community resources to help our youth.

Recently I have been asked to serve as a member of the Committee on Small Schools for the National Association of Secondary Schools Principals. One does not receive an honor to service on a National Committee unless something is being done right in the community in which he serves. I would like to thank the community for its support of our educational system throughout the years, the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools for their help, the faculty I work with day by day in solving problems, and last but not least, the student body who contribute every day to my education as a principal.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES SIBSON, Principal

## Elementary School Principal

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To the School Committee and the  
Superintendent of Schools:

As the writer of this annual report of the Sandwich Elementary School, I must look at the past year and then report it. Much of what has happened and developed has been reported via our school newspaper "Contact" and other publications. However, in my mind, it must be recorded again in this form of the annual report.

In January, 1974, the good news of the building program became a reality and physically the building began to take shape. Earth was moved and replaced with bricks, mortar and steel. Now in December, 1974, we wait for the completion, which is not too far distant for the Elementary School. Construction created some problems for education, but none of lasting duration. Curriculum was not disrupted or discontinued because of it. Hardships were shared by everyone. Walls never came tumbling down or did they go up, seemingly without the first consideration — the children and how it might affect them.

Changes in curriculum and organization did not become untracked due to construction. Our change in the Social Science curriculum has been completed and adopted in Kindergarten to Grade Six. Math curriculum has been changed to emphasize the basic skills, with a new school-wide program, and the related area of science is a step nearer its completion — another year before the complete adoption is attained. Reading has received some attention, with two programs being evaluated for consideration and a decision remaining in the other areas of Language Arts (English grammar, spelling and penmanship) to be reached by September, 1975. Health education is still without a decision, but programs are being reviewed for possible adoption. Art, Physical Education and Music have shown some changes. I would list the specific programs, publications in all areas, but in my opinion such would be a questionable commercialization of published and professionally advertised educational products. I have always expressed in other annual

reports an invitation to visit the school at any time; maybe this could be a reason to visit, to learn what programs we are using.

In the area of organization we have attempted to take a step in the direction of non-gradedness and/or continuous progress. This is being done in conjunction with seven other schools in Southeastern Massachusetts that have a similar desire to develop a non-graded Elementary School. This League of Schools is utilizing the Individual Guided Education model developed by the University of Wisconsin in the mid-1960's. It has been successfully implemented in a few thousand schools since that time and we hopefully will achieve similar success within the next three to four years.

In September, 1974, we began all the aforementioned upon the opening of school, with one added item — partial completion of the building and renovations. We had much to do, but in looking back, our opening was excellent; many remarkable things happen when one is meeting a deadline. Open spaces did not prove to be a great hardship or burden. Visits to other open space schools and our in-service training for teachers over the past two to three years provided us with insight and resources to overcome both the anticipated and even the non-anticipated problems.

Sincerely we here at school thank everyone for their help, support and active participation; the Shawme Fish and Game Club where our kindergarten is temporarily housed, our volunteers, citizens, parents, Superintendent of Schools, and the School Committee — your cooperation and concern has been most gratifying. To the faculty of the Elementary School, my thanks for your professional attitudes toward in-service, the manner in which you have implemented new curriculum programs and your continued efforts to provide sound learning practices that are enabling children to learn the skills and develop the concepts needed in our society.

Last, but certainly not least, we wish to express not a farewell, but only our best wishes to Mrs. Margaret Alvezi, a classroom teacher of many children now grown, and also to Mrs. Ruth Tyback, a school secretary for many an administrator. Both remarkable women.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. DOLAN, Principal



## Report of the School Nurse

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To the School Committee and the  
Superintendent of Schools:

An effective health program is the result of the combined efforts of the School Physician, nurse, teachers and parents. By providing a healthful environment, the child is able to progress towards his full potential.

The Immunization Clinic provided the following:

Grade 7 .....	27 Mumps Vaccine
Grade 10 .....	25 Tetanus-Diphtheria Booster
Grades 1 & 9 .....	161 Tuberculin Tine Test
Employees .....	61 Mantoux Test

With increased enrollment in the kindergarten class, two pre-school clinics were held, one in June and one in July. This clinic is conducted with the assistance of the Public Health Nurse, Miss Frances Silva, and was held in her office. Physical examinations and immunizations were given by Dr. Charles Gleason, Pediatrician. Forty-eight children attended the clinic. A dental examination, blood test and urinalysis were also included.

Annual physical examinations are given by Dr. John Lewis to all students who participate in competitive sports. Routine examinations are given in Grades 4, 7 and 10.

Hearing and vision screening is conducted in all grades. Testing is arranged to keep class interruption at a minimum.

As a member of the Massachusetts School Nurse Organization and the Cape Cod School Nurses Association, I am able to attend meetings where ideas are exchanged and latest information on health programs are discussed.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the parents, the administration and the faculty, the School Physician and all those who have helped me in my position as School Nurse. It is with this help and cooperation that we are able to insure the general well being and good health of all the students in Sandwich.

Respectfully submitted,

JANET E. DAVIS, R.N.  
School Nurse



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE 18-MONTHS PERIOD

January 1, 1973 — June 30, 1974

	Budget 1973-1974	Expenditures from:	
		P.L. #874	Town Approp.
<b>Administration</b>	\$41,697.00	\$358.19	\$50,463.60
School Committee Expense	1,665.00	100.00	2,908.55
Superintendent's Office			
Salaries	37,107.00		39,300.25
Office Expense	1,500.00	258.19	6,777.39
Travel Expense	1,275.00		1,327.41
School Census	150.00		150.00
<b>Instruction</b>	\$1,397,119.00	\$5,648.64	\$1,347,515.38
Principals' Offices			
Salaries	94,573.00		106,182.04
Office Expense	5,800.00	448.08	7,710.20
Graduation	1,500.00		1,652.31
Other Expense	10,647.00	535.86	18,879.91
Teaching			
Salaries	1,108,103.00	363.00	1,050,352.58
Teacher Aides	48,369.00		43,378.77
Supplies	59,664.00	3,747.09	50,083.77
Other Expense	4,950.00	25.00	5,925.44
Tutoring	2,000.00		1,518.00
Textbooks	21,913.00	294.85	18,094.64
Libraries	7,735.00	82.69	5,602.79
Guidance	31,865.00	152.07	38,134.93
<b>Other School Services</b>	\$192,818.00	\$11,987.29	\$178,753.27
Health Services	11,840.00		11,520.94
Transportation	142,538.00	2,591.14	132,134.97
Food Services	17,000.00	5,396.02	18,813.42
Athletics	21,440.00	4,000.13	16,283.94
<b>Operation/Maintenance of School Plant</b>	\$185,910.00	\$5,241.05	\$190,300.00
Janitor Service	87,867.00		97,709.76
Janitor Supplies	3,200.00		7,912.88
Misc. Operating Expense	1,900.00	727.74	2,290.30
Fuel	25,100.00	779.77	23,425.13
Utilities	26,125.00	2,030.43	32,007.16
Maintenance/Sch. Grounds	17,322.00	29.00	15,401.02
Maintenance/Buildings	15,150.00	830.20	5,557.49
Maintenance/Equipment	4,600.00	843.91	5,899.51
Replacement/Equipment	4,646.00		96.75
<b>Fixed Charges</b>	\$6,600.00	\$200.00	\$6,700.00
Insurance Program	3,000.00		3,300.00
Rental of Facilities	3,600.00	200.00	3,400.00
<b>Community Services</b>	\$5,548.00		\$5,782.88
<b>Acquisition/New Equipment</b>	\$27,743.00	\$6,405.13	\$48,590.20
<b>Programs/Other Schools</b>	\$8,786.00	\$90.00	\$3,292.64
<b>TOTALS, 1973-74</b>	<u>\$1,866,221.00</u>	<u>\$29,930.30</u>	<u>\$1,831,397.97</u>

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT—Continued)**

Total School Budget	\$1,866,221.00	
Expenditures	1,861,328.27	
Balance	\$ 4,892.73	
Town Appropriation	\$1,831,398.00	
Expenditures	1,831,397.97	
Balance	\$ .03	
P.L. #874 Funds Applied to Budget		\$34,823.00
Expenditures		29,930.30
Balance, 6/30/74		\$ 4,892.70
P.L. #874 Funds Not Applied		3.92
P.L. #874 Funds Received, 1973-74		36,999.40
Total P. L. #874 Funds Available 6/30/74		\$41,896.02

## 1974 COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

PRELUDE "Fantasia in G Major"

PROCESSIONAL "Pomp and Circumstance"

\*INVOCATION Dr. Ross Cannon

WELCOME ADDRESS Anne Hoxie

HONOR ESSAY Frank Harrison

CHORUS SELECTIONS "The Exodus Song"

Ernest Gold

"The Way We Were"

Marvin Hamlich

"You'll Never Walk Alone"

Rogers and Hammerstein

CLASS GIFT Anne Hoxie

HONOR ESSAY Karen Hughbanks

HONOR ESSAY Marsha Adams

AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES

Mrs. Betty Bridges, Sandwich School Committee

THE CLASS OF 1974 Randall Lewis

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Dr. Anthony D'Antuono, Superintendent

\*ALMA MATER Senior Class, Chorus, and Audience

\*BENEDICTION The Reverend John H. Thomas

\*RECESSIONAL "Colonel John"

Special Guests — Kathy Choate and Andy Troyanos

\* Audience Standing

## THE CLASS OF 1974

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| ***† Marsha Ann Adams    | † Randall Thresher Lewis     |
| David Wordell Allen, Jr. | Ann Heidi MacDonald          |
| Deborah Anne Austin      | † Mary Aileen Mahoney        |
| Debra Joanna Ayotte      | † Stephen Edward McMahon     |
| * Deborah Jean Beers     | Gail Ann Metcalf             |
| W. Watts Biggers, Jr.    | Kim Colleen Morris           |
| * Michael John Birch     | Darren Michael Murphy        |
| Elizabeth Catherine      | † Karen Louise Myers         |
| Borjeson                 | Sue Ann O'Connell            |
| Michael Joseph           | Brian Joseph Oliver          |
| Boulanger                | William Joseph Parks         |
| Leslie Jeanne Caron      | Marrienne Carmen Procopio    |
| Donna Marie Choate       | † Russell Allan Putnam       |
| Dorothy Carol Crane      | Lisa Jean Raymond            |
| Paul Edward Currier      | Scott Anthony Robbins        |
| Grace Evelyn Earle       | Jeannette Marie Sampson      |
| Walter Thomas Fagnant    | † Laurie Anne Schmelzer      |
| Gregory Peter Gallant    | Linda Marie Serodio          |
| Moir Judith Gallant      | Jean Elizabeth Sibson        |
| Robert George Gilfoy     | Jane Alice Stobbart          |
| William Herbert Graney   | * Jane Elizabeth Terry       |
| † Susan Hall             | Peter Ralston Thompson       |
| Gerard Francis Hallaren  | Marybeth Angela Tooher       |
| † Frank Joseph Harrison  | Theresa Marie Tourville      |
| † Myles Thomas Hickey    | Robert Michael Walsh         |
| Ruth Evelyn Hogan        | Christopher Stephen          |
| Rebecca Louise Holberton | Troyanos                     |
| * Anne Marie Hoxie       | * Norman Everett Weekes, Jr. |
| **† Karen Anne Hughbanks | * John Frederick White       |
| Wendy Ann Justice        | Moir White                   |
| Kathleen Marie King      | Pamela Victoria Whitney      |
| Peter Thomas Latimer     | * John Richard Winslow       |
| David Brian LeGacy       |                              |

† National Honor Society

\* Honor Students

\*\* Salutatorian

\*\*\* Valedictorian

## Class Officers

President .....	Anne Hoxie
Vice President .....	Peter Thompson
Secretary .....	Donna Choate
Treasurer .....	Laurie Schmelzer



## SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

June 7, 1974

### Faunce Scholarship

The Faunce Scholarship has been awarded to an outstanding member of the Senior Class: **STEPHEN McMAHON**.

Mr. McMahon will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

### Cape Cod Bank and Trust Scholarship

This scholarship is presented to a member of the Senior Class in the community they serve: **SUSAN HALL**.

Miss Hall will attend Bridgewater State College.

### Hannah B. Belcher Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to two members of the Senior Class: **KAREN MYERS** and **CHRISTOPHER TROYANOS**.

Miss Myers will attend the College of Charleston.

Mr. Troyanos will attend Northeastern University.

### Harold Irving Smith Scholarship

Given by his daughter, Mrs. Albert Keith — to an outstanding student in the field of Art and/or Music: **STEPHEN McMAHON**.

### First District Presidents Club Edith Harding Scholarship

Presented to a deserving member of the Senior Class: **FRANK HARRISON**.

Mr. Harrison will attend the University of Rochester.

### George S. Wing Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is presented to seven worthy students: **ANN HOXIE**, **KATHLEEN KING**, **RUSSELL PUTNAM**, **KAREN HUGHBANKS**, **WENDY JUSTICE**, **GERARD HALLAREN**, and **REBECCA HOLBERTON**.

Miss Hoxie will attend Katharine Gibbs School.

Miss King will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

Mr. Putnam will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Miss Hughbanks will attend Katharine Gibbs School.

Miss Justice will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Mr. Hallaren will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

Miss Holberton will attend the Stockbridge School of Agriculture.

#### **Sandwich Teachers Association Scholarship**

Presented to three Seniors who plan to become teachers: MARSHA ADAMS, JANE STOBART and DEBORAH BEERS.

Miss Adams will attend Framingham State College.

Miss Stobbart will attend Mt. St. Mary College.

Miss Beers will attend Fitchburg State College.

#### **Sandwich High School Association Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to three outstanding students: PAMELA WHITNEY, MARSHA ADAMS and RICHARD WINSLOW.

Miss Whitney will attend Green Mountain College.

Mr. Winslow will attend the University of Maine.

#### **Sandwich Health Association Scholarship**

Presented to a student planning to become a nurse: JANE TERRY.

Miss Terry will attend the Massachusetts General Hospital School of Nursing.

#### **Sandwich Junior Women's Club Scholarship**

The Sandwich Junior Women's Club Scholarship is to be granted to a member of the graduating class who will continue his or her education for at least a period of two years as a full time student in an accepted or recognized institution of higher learning: CHRISTOPHER TROYANOS, FRANK HARRISON, and JANE STOBART.

#### **Sandwich Men's Club Scholarship**

Presented to two worthy students: MOIRA GALLANT and ANN HOXIE.

Miss Gallant will attend St. Francis Xavier University.

#### **Lion's Club Scholarship**

Presented to two deserving Seniors: PAMELA WHITNEY and NORMAN WEEKES.

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Mr. Weekes will attend Plymouth State College.

#### **John F. Clayton Scholarship**

Presented to a worthy student: MYLES HICKEY.

Mr. Hickey will attend the Massachusetts Maritime Academy.

**Chamberlain Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to: DOROTHY CRANE.

Miss Crane will attend the Cape Cod Community College.

**Future Homemakers of America Scholarship**

Presented to a deserving member of the Senior Class:  
JANE STOBART.

**Future Teachers of America Scholarship**

Presented by the Sandwich High School Future Teachers of America, awarded to: KAREN MYERS.

**Sandwich Women's Club Mary Howland Wing Scholarship**

Presented to two worthy students by the Sandwich Women's Club: DEBORAH BEERS and MARY MAHONEY.

Miss Mahoney will attend Stonehill College.

**Mary Baker Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to thirteen worthy students: MOIRA WHITE, NORMAN WEEKES, JEAN SIBSON, LINDA SERODIO, LAURIE SCHMELZER, HEIDI MacDONALD, RANDALL LEWIS, DONNA CHOATE, JOHN WHITE, PETER THOMPSON, ROBERT WALSH, MICHAEL BIRCH and PETER LATIMER.

Miss White will attend Salem State College.

Miss Serodio will attend Mt. St. Mary College.

Miss Sibson will attend Plymouth State College:

Miss Schmelzer will attend Colby College.

Miss MacDonald will attend Mt. St. Mary College.

Mr. Lewis will attend Franklin College.

Miss Choate will attend Salem State College.

Mr. Thompson will attend Stockbridge School of Agriculture.

Mr. Walsh will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Mr. Birch will attend McGill University.

Mr. Latimer will attend the University of Maine.

Mr. White will attend the University of Maine.

**Alvin W. Halway Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to six worthy students: DAVID ALLEN, GREGORY GALLANT, MOIRA GALLANT, SUSAN HALL, MYLES HICKEY and LESLIE CARON.

Mr. Allen will attend the Massachusetts Maritime Academy.



Mr. Gallant will attend the University of Maine.  
Miss Caron will attend Meredith Manor.

**Upper Cape Registered Nurses Association Scholarship**

Presented to an outstanding Senior entering the field of Nursing: JANE TERRY.

**Sandwich Citizens Organization Scholarship**

Presented to a member of the Senior Class who shows outstanding promise in the field of Government: JOHN WHITE.

**Elizabeth T. VanBuskirk Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship is awarded to a deserving Senior who intends to pursue or enter the field of Pharmacy: JANE TERRY.

**D.A.R. Good Citizen Award**

Presented to MARSHA ADAMS.

**Bausch and Lomb**

Awarded for proficiency in science: FRANK HARRISON.

**The Muriel S. Torrey Award for Community Service**

A memorial award for good citizenship: Presented by the Church Circle of the First Church of Christ: RICHARD WINSLOW.

**Balfour Key**

For outstanding leadership and service to the school, presented to: CHRISTOPHER TROYANOS.

**Sandwich Policemen's Association Awards**

Presented to: PAMELA WHITNEY.

**The Betty Crocker Future Homemakers of America Award**

Presented to: MOIRA WHITE.



**HENRY T. WING SCHOOL**  
**Combined Membership Age - Grade Table**  
**October 1, 1974**

Grades	Age	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
B K		11	50	1														62
G K		6	36															42
B 1			7	37	1													45
G 1			9	39														48
B 2				8	45	3												56
G 2				7	41	1												49
B 3					7	40	4	1										52
G 3					4	29												33
B 4						8	40	5			1							54
G 4						5	35	2										42
B 5							6	38	4									48
G 5							12	49	5	1								67
B 6								10	29	7								46
G 6								4	39	6								49
B 7									5	37	8	1						51
G 7									5	46	4							55
B 8										6	38	8	2					54
G 8										9	34	8						51
B 9											4	33	5					42
G 9											13	34	1					48

Combined Membership Age - Grade Table—Continued

Grades	Age	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
B 10												6	32	12	1			51
G 10												11	31	5	1			48
B 11													7	36	6	1		50
G 11													6	33	3			42
B 12														3	27	5		35
G 12														5	30	2	1	38
B Ed. Adj.																		0
G Ed. Adj.											1	2	1					4
Boys		11	57	46	53	51	50	54	38	50	51	48	46	51	34	6	0	646
Girls		6	45	46	45	35	47	55	49	62	52	55	39	43	34	2	1	616
Total		17	102	92	98	86	97	109	87	112	103	103	85	94	68	8	1	1262

# HENRY T. WING JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY — 1974-1975

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Began Service  
in Sandwich

## Education

## Subject

## Name

Principal	James H. Sibson	Bowdoin Col., A.B., Worcester State Col., M.Ed.	1963
Asst. Principal	John J. Chisholm	Boston Col., A.B., Boston State, M.Ed.	1973
Guidance	Dolores Bush	Anna Maria Col. B.A., Assumption Col., M.A.	1974
Guidance	R. Theodore Steinhilber	Suffolk University, B.S., M.Ed.	1971
A/V Director	Otto Schleicher	Boston University, B.B.A.	1964
Chairman, Science Dept.	James J. Campbell	Mass. Col. of Pharmacy, B.S., Colby Col., M.A.	1973
Chairman, Social Studies	William L. Doyle	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1962
Chairman, Art Dept.	John Halvorson	Boston University, B.A.	1970
Chairman, Math Dept.	Thomas E. Jaillet	Fitchburg State, B.S.Ed., Boston College, M.A.	1973
Chairman, Foreign Lang.	Maryclaire Mulcahy	Bridgewater State Col., B.S., Boston Univ., M.Ed.	1966
Chairman, English Dept.	James F. Murphy	Boston Col., B.S., Framingham State, M.Ed., Northeastern Univ., M.A.	1973
Director of Athletics	Robert Woodbury	University of Maine, B.S. & M.Ed.	1974
Business Education	David Adams	University of Tennessee, B.S.	1974
Business Education	Eugene A. Ash, Jr.	Salem State Col., B.S.	1968
Industrial Arts	Roger Bergen	Boston Univ., B.A., R.I. School of Design, M.A.	1973
Mathematics	Lesley Booth	Eastern Nazarene, B.A.	1974
Music	Joan W. Coggeshall	B.U. Jr Col., A.A. N.E. Cons. of Music, B.M.	1972
School Psychologist	Grace Day	Montclair College, B.A. & M.A.	1973
Art	Marcia Dolgin	Boston University, B.F.A.	1974
Librarian	Alice W. Douglass	Rutgers Univ., A.B., Case-Western Reserve Univ., M.S.L.	1973
Latin	Thomas Eagar	St. Columbian's Col., B.A., Boston State Col., M.A.	1970
Physical Education	William Earle	University of Massachusetts, B.S.	1972
English	Harry D. Evans III	Castleton State College, B.S.	1971
Social Studies	Robert A. Fenton	Pennsylvania State Univ., B.S.	1963
Social Studies	Edward Giardino	Loyola University, Montreal, B.A.	1970
Physical Education	Barbara Harriman	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969
Music	R. Edward Heywood, Jr.	Lowell State Col., B. of Music Education	1970
Science	Robert Hickey	University of Main, B.S., M.Ed.	1974
Social Studies	Edward Hoxie	Suffolk University, B.A. & M.A.	1971

## HENRY T. WING JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY — 1974-1975

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
Mary R. Huff	Business Education	Salem State Teachers College, B.S.	1964
Robert Inman	Social Studies	Salem State Teachers College, B.A.	1970
Barbara Jones	Home Economics	Indiana University of Pennsylvania, B.S.	1971
Janet Kirsch	Learning Disabilities	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1974
Benjamin Losordo	Mathematics	Harvard, A.B.	1971
Marie Murphy	Foreign Language	Emmanuel Col., B.A., Sorbonne, M.A.	1974
William Naylor	Mathematics	Marietta College, B.S.	1971
David O'Hara	Science	Ohio Northern University, B.A.	1974
Ann Palmer	English	Boston University, B.S.	1970
Sylvia Phillips	Science	West Liberty College, B.S.	1968
Jean Richards	Home Economics	Bates College & Cornell University, B.S.	1974
Theodora M. Ringler	English	Middlebury Col., B.A. & M.A., Harvard, M.A.T.	1973
Judith Rooney	Physical Education (Part time)	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1974
William Sangster	Science — Study Hall	University of Mass., B.S.	1974
Roger Savino	Industrial Arts	Upsala College, A.B.	1974
Janet Semonian	English	Colby College, B.A.	1974
Bruce Stanford	English	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1974
Silvio Tedeschi	Spanish	Lyndon State College, B.S.	1964
Robert Thompson	Science	American Inter. Col., B.A., Boston Univ., M.Ed., Syracuse Univ., M.S.	1973
Winthrop Trenholm	Mathematics	Old Dominion College, B.A.	1974
Gretchen Webster	English	Bradley University, B.S.	1968
Edwin Zion	Mathematics	Bridgewater State Teachers Col., B.S. & M.Ed.	1969
Michelle N. Earle	Library Aide	The Assisium	1948 1973

## HENRY T. WING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACULTY — 1974-1975

James G. Dolan	Principal	Northeastern University, B.S., Bridgewater State College, Ed.M.	1960
Edmund D. Twomey	Asst. Principal	Boston University, B.S., Ed.M.	1973
Joan C. Belliveau	Grade 6	Curry College, B.S.	1971
Donald O. McCulloch	Grade 6	University of Nebraska, Omaha, B.G.E., Bridgewater State College, M.Ed.	1972
Robert V. Planinshek	Grade 6	Southern Connecticut State College, B.S.	1974



# HENRY T. WING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACULTY — 1974-1975

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in Sandwich

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
Mary E. Winings	Grade 6	Univ. of Illinois, B.S., Bradley Univ., M.S.	1969
Roger A. Eastman	Grade 5	U. S. Coast Guard Academy, Bridgewater State College, M.Ed.	1968
Mary Beth Dunphe	Grade 5	Framingham State College, B.A.	1973
Kathleen M. Markt	Grade 5	Regis College, B.A.	1964
Pristilla C. Stoll	Grade 5	Upsala College, A.B.	1969
Mary C. Celata	Grade 4	Boston Univ., A.B., Bridgewater State, Ed.M.	1974
Sharon A. Durham	Grade 4	University of Kentucky, B.A.	1971
Elizabeth T. Ferris	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1972
Linda W. Robbins	Grade 4	University of Maryland, B.S.	1972
Virginia E. Lewis	Grade 3	Franklin College, B.A.	1974
Carol G. McGrail	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969
Pamela J. Santino	Grade 3	Boston State College, B.S.	1961
R. Naomi White	Grade 3	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S., Ed.M.	1942
Nora M. Bianchi	Grade 2	Hyannis State Teachers College, B.S.	1972
Lois Cardalino	Grade 2	Boston State College, B.S.	1972
Linda J. Hart	Grade 2	Framingham State College, B.S.	1969
Christine M. Richard	Grade 2	North Adams State College, B.S.	1974
Marianne L. Bradley	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1973
Sally H. Campbell	Grade 1	State University College, Oswego, N.Y., B.S.	1972
Judith A. Gaylord	Grade 1	Framingham State College, B.S.	1972
Karen M. Milkey	Grade 1	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1966
Emma V. Drew	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1967
Ann E. Hamlen	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S.	1957
Margaret A. Alvezi	Reading Teacher	Hyannis State Teachers College	1973
Grace C. Day	School Psychologist	Montclair College, B.A., M.A.	1973
Katherine K. Mone	Resource Room	Boston College, B.A.	1972
Christina Jacobi	Art	Adelphi University	
Donald Long	Physical Education	Univ. of Mass., B.S., Bridgewater State College, M.Ed.	1959
Kathleen C. McGonagle	Speech	Emerson College, B.S.	1971

## HENRY T. WING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACULTY — 1974-1975

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
Marylou Q. McLean	Music	Boston Conservatory of Music, B.M.	1974
Ann M. McSweeney	Reading Coordinator	Salve Regina Col., A.B., Univ. of Conn., M.A.	1973
K. Maurine Smith	Remedial Reading	Russell Sage College, B.S., M.A.	1969
Susan I. Zicko	Learning Disabilities	Framingham State College, B.S.	1973
Angela J. Curley	Teacher Aide		1973
Frances S. Fairney	Teacher Aide	Wilfred Academy, Boston	1974
Priscilla S. Hillman	Teacher Aide		1974
Barbara A. Lantery	Teacher Aide	Northeastern Univ., Assoc. in Bus. Admin.	1974
Linda J. McArdle	Teacher Aide		1974
June E. Suller	Teacher Aide		1971
Cora E. Wallace	Teacher Aide		1974

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# 1975 Annual Reports

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THE OLDEST TOWN ON CAPE COD







1975  
ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF SANDWICH

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1975

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## **SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS**

Listed below are the scheduled meetings  
of Town Organizations

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Appeal Board                                      Town Conf. Rm. at H.T. Wing Sch.  
7:30 P.M.

2nd and 4th Tuesday — (If Hearing Scheduled)

Bicentennial Committee                      7:30 P.M. - Clark-Haddad Hall  
1st and 3rd Monday each Month

Board of Health                                      7:30 P.M. - Town Hall  
1st Tuesday each Month

Board of Selectmen                              10:00 A.M. - Town Hall  
Each Monday

Conservation Commission      Town Conf. Rm. at H.T. Wing Sch.  
4th Wednesday each Month      7:30 P.M.

Fire Engineers                                      Cape & Islands Insurance Office  
1st Tuesday each Month      7:00 P.M.

Sandwich Historic District Committee  
Town Conf. Rm. at H.T. Wing Sch.  
1st and 3rd Monday each Month      7:30 P.M.

Sandwich Nursing Agency  
Professional Advisory Board                      Public Health Office  
1st Wednesday, March, June, Sept., Dec.      8:00 p.m.

Planning Board                                      Town Conf. Rm. at H.T. Wing Sch.  
1st, 2nd, and 3rd Wednesday each Month      7:30 P.M.

School Committee                                      Conf. Rm. at H.T. Wing Sch.  
4th Wednesday each Month      7:30 P.M.

When planning a special meeting, the above schedule should  
be consulted to avoid confusion.

# Town Officers for 1975

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## ELECTED OFFICIALS

Term Expires

### SELECTMEN

Carl H. Hiler, Chairman	1976
H. Eugene Carr	1977
Benjamin D. Fleet, Jr.	1978

### ASSESSORS

Carl H. Hiler	1976
H. Eugene Carr, Chairman	1977
Benjamin D. Fleet, Jr.	1978

### TOWN CLERK, TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR

Channing E. Hoxie	1977
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### HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Clarence R. VanBuskirk	1976
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### TREE WARDEN

William J. Ellis	1976
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### MODERATOR

William A. Bullock	1976
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### CONSTABLES

Haskell E. Hawkins	1976
George E. Elvander	1977
Clyde S. Gill	1978

### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

William R. Hendy, Jr.	1976
David P. Persson, Chairman	1976
Betty E. Bridges	1977
Roland F. DeConto	1977
Stanley A. Torrey	1978
Richard James Buckland, Jr.	1978

## Term Expires

**BOARD OF HEALTH**

Robert D. McKillop	1976
Robert H. Ellis, Chairman	1977
Allen E. Peterson	1978

**TRUSTEES OF THE SANDWICH LIBRARY**

Kathryn Bourne	1976
Robert M. Felton, Chairman	1976
Dorothy A. Fisher	1976
Howard J. Carlson	1977
Clara N. Field	1977
Russell A. Scully	1977
William R. Collins	1978
Beryl A. O'Connell, Secretary	1978
William A. Warren	1978

**TRUSTEES OF WESTON MEMORIAL FUND**

David C. Hopkins	1976
Howard J. Carlson, Chairman	1977
John H. Field	1978

**TRUSTEES CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING**

Carl H. Hiler, Chairman Board of Selectmen	
Clarence R. VanBuskirk, Chairman	1976
Carl E. Bazzinotti	1976
Carl E. Leino, Secretary	1977
Dennis A. Earle	1977
Ernest Oettinger	1978

**PLANNING BOARD**

John A. Coe, Vice Chairman	1976
William G. Bryden	1977
David E. Allen, Clerk	1978
Jonathan Fitch, Chairman	1979
Chester E. Cross	1980

**SANDWICH HOUSING AUTHORITY**

Edgar E. Caron, Chairman	1976
Norman E. Welch, Vice Chairman	1977
Allen R. Carpenter, Assistant Treasurer	1978
George C. Campbell, Treasurer (State Appointment)	1979
Elizabeth L. Currier, Secretary	1980

Term Expires

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEMBER**

Edgar E. Caron	1976
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**APPOINTED OFFICIALS**


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**TOWN ACCOUNTANT**

Nancy J. Laffoon	1978
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**TOWN COUNSEL**

Alan A. Green	1976
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**TOWN ENGINEER**

William C. Taylor	1976
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**CLERK FOR ASSESSORS**

Barbara L. Kiley	1976
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**ASSISTANT TOWN CLERK**

Barbara J. Walling	1976
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**ASSISTANT TREASURER**

Jean C. Cervantes	1976
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**ASSISTANT TO THE TAX COLLECTOR**

Beulah Southworth	1976
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**VETERANS' AGENT, DIRECTOR OF VETERANS'  
SERVICES AND VETERANS' BURIAL AGENT**

Charles H. Cross	1976
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**VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER**

Elizabeth L. Currier	1976
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**PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE**

Frances M. Silva, R.N.	1976
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**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Robert D. Whearty, Jr., Chief	Ronald W. Nurse, Patrolman
Clyde S. Gill, Sergeant	James M. Foley, Patrolman



**Term Expires**

Roger T. Davis, Sergeant	James R. Spofford, Patrolman
George E. Elvander, Sergeant	James Stewart, Jr., Patrolman
Haskell E. Hawkins, Sergeant	William P. McBride, Patrolman
E. Bartlett McKay, Sergeant	Stephen M. Pelletier, Patrol'n
James R. Swift, Patrolman	Robert L. Johnson, Patrolman
Richard A. Kestenbaum, Patrol'n	Russell J. Files, Patrolman

**COMMUNITY SERVICE OFFICER**

Michael J. Miller

**PERMANENT INTERMITTENT PATROLMEN**

Chester S. Rich	David P. Canning
Richard L. Anderson	Richard E. Canning, Sr.

**SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS**

Michael J. O'Dowd	John H. Winslow
Richard P. White	Gerard MacDonald, II
Edmund V. Serodio	Richard B. Farrar
John A. McArdle	Jean M. Velsor
Daniel J. O'Connell	George P. Russell
David Persson	Albert E. Gooding, Jr.
Joseph M. Cotter	Lester Geary
George Fernandes	Terrence P. O'Connell

**POLICE — LIMITED SERVICE**

James C. Burke	Taisto E. Ranta
Floyd J. Folmsbee	Russell W. Anderson
Francis J. Silva	Harrison E. Reed, Jr.
Donald Joseph Brun	John A. Coe
Harrie Titus	Douglas J. Arnold

**WIRE INSPECTOR**

Edgar E. Caron	1976
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**BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Sven E. Hanson	1976
Lester E. Geary, Deputy	1976

**SIGN INSPECTOR**

Sven E. Hanson	1976
Lester E. Geary, Deputy	1976

Term Expires

**SANITARY INSPECTOR  
BOARD OF HEALTH AGENT  
PLUMBING INSPECTOR**

Edward F. Montague, Jr. (app. by Board of Health) 1976

**GAS INSPECTOR**

Walter T. Fagnant 1976

**SHELLFISH CONSTABLE**

Eugene H. Morrow 1976

Francis G. Silva, Deputy

**PARK DEPARTMENT**

Raymond L. Thayer, Foreman 1976

**FIRE ENGINEERS**

W. Gordon Swan, Clerk 1976

Ferdinand L. Alvezi, Chief Engineer 1976

George H. Crawford 1976

Eugene H. Morrow 1976

Foster M. Willoughby 1976

C. Bernard Jones 1976

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Ferdinand L. Alvezi, Chief Gordon Wallace, Fireman

Dennis E. Newman, Lieutenant Keith Lehmann, Fireman

Thomas A. Manley, Lieutenant Herbert R. Polson, Fireman

Herbert G. Stewart, Jr., Lt. Chris A. Uggerholt, Fireman

Vincent Harrington, Fireman David P. Canning, Fireman

Walter Cahoon, Fireman Robert J. George, Fireman

William Costa, Fireman Peter Beauchemin, Fireman

**DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS**

(Appointed by Forest Warden)

Robert White Herbert G. Stewart, Jr., Lieutenant

Gerald Caron W. Gordon Swan

Richard Currier John White

Thomas A. Manley, Lieutenant Clyde Tripp

Dennis E. Newman, Lieutenant Richard V. Raymond

**INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND MEAT**

(Appointed by Board of Health)

Hilda E. Whitmore 1976

## Term Expires

**INSECT PEST SUPERINTENDENT**

William J. Ellis	1976
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**FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Raymond H. Ostrander, Chairman	Clifford R. Nelson
C. Ruggles Smith	Robert N. Johnson
Fred W. Lehmann	

**REGISTRARS OF VOTERS**

Niilo R. Ahonen	1976
Edward F. Montague, Jr.	1976
Ida D. O'Brien	1976

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

William H. Richards	1976
Gary A. Nickerson	1976
Peter Meini	1976
Meredith W. Bourne, Secretary	1977
J. Louis Roberti	1977
Richard E. Canning, Jr.	1978
J. Albert Torrey, Chairman	1978

**DOG AND CONSERVATION OFFICER**

Francis G. Silva	1976
Haskell E. Hawkins, Deputy	1976

**APPEAL BOARD****AND SIGN CODE BOARD OF APPEALS**

John A. Harvey	1976
Roland F. DeConto, Vice Chairman	1977
Ann C. Sullivan	1977
Edward W. Osgood, Jr.	1978
Albert Roberti, Chairman	1978

**Associate Members:**

Peter J. Closson	1977
Peter M. Boniface	1977

**MARINA COMMITTEE**

Rev. William Morris, Chairman	Howard J. Carlson
John H. Field	Charles C. Russell
Benjamin H. Morrow	

Term Expires

**HARBOR MASTER**

Edwin T. Moffitt	1976
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**SANDWICH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMITTEE**

(Old King's Highway Regional Historic District)

Gratton Gill	1977
Robert W. Bridges	1977
George Sutton	1978
Donald Bourne, Chairman	1979
Edward A. Coomey	1980

**SANDWICH HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Russell A. Lovell, Secretary	1976
Barbara L. Gill	1976
Albert C. Cook	1977
C. Ruggles Smith	1977
Francis X. Martin	1978
Ross A. Vanderpyl	1978
David F. Wright, Chairman	1978

**CAPE COD PLANNING AND ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

Carl H. Hiler, Member	1977
John Louis Roberti, Alternate Member	1977

**SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Walter T. Fagnant	William R. Hendy, Jr., Vice Chm.
Stanley A. Torrey, Chairman	Dorothy Smith
Frank C. Bess	

**TOWN HALL STUDY COMMITTEE**

Carl H. Hiler	Selectmen
John A. Coe, Co-Chairman	Planning Board
Albert Roberti	Board of Appeals
Robert H. Ellis	Board of Health
Gary Nickerson	Conservation Commission
John H. Field	Historic District Commission
David F. Wright	Historical Commission
Channing E. Hoxie	Town Clerk
Pearl Rosser	Sandwich Citizens Organization
Sven Hanson	Building Inspector
William C. Taylor	Town Engineer



**Term Expires**

John A. Erickson	Member-at-Large
Gratton Gill, Co-Chairman,	Member-at-Large
Shirley G. Cross	Sandwich Woman's Club
Virginia Amidon	Sandwich Junior Woman's Club
Francis X. Martin	Historical Society
James Cervantes	Heritage Plantation

**RECREATION COMMITTEE**

Lydia F. Borjeson, Co-Chairman	Peter Kohn
Robert C. Messier, Co-Chairman (Resigned 2-17-75)	
Catherine A. Hawes (Resigned 4-10-75)	William F. O'Neil
Silvio Tedeschi, Director (app. by Recreation Comm.)	
Richard Buckland	Carlo M. DiPersio, Chairman
Patricia L. McArdle	Paula Savel

**COUNCIL ON AGING**

Isabel Pifer	1976
Clifton F. Robinson	1976
Elizabeth S. Beale	1977
Frances E. Jeger	1977
Ernest Oettinger	1977
John Hazen	1977
Edith L. Fleet	1978
Herbert P. Nelson	1978
Hazel Keith	1978

**SANDWICH NURSING ADVISORY BOARD**

Eleanor Bangs	Ruth Kelley
Irene Beers	Dr. John H. Lewis
Betty E. Bridges	Merilyn Myers
Dawn Closson	Dr. Robert J. O'Doherty
Janet Davis	Carlo A. Pola, Chairman
Dr. J. Harold Demers	Margaret S. Pola
William E. Duncan	Allen Peterson
Florence Hall	Frances M. Silva
Carl H. Hiler	Tekla Cote
Hazel Keith	Florence White

**CIVIL DEFENSE**

W. Gordon Swan, Director	1976
C. Bernard Jones, Deputy Director	1976
Ellis N. Palmer, Jr., Deputy Director	1976

## Report of the Board of Selectmen

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To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

As previously reported, since the town is required by an act of the legislature to operate on a fiscal year from July 1 to June 30 rather than on a calendar year as before, the make up of the Town Report is not currently informative as in previous years. The financial activities must necessarily be reported as at the closing of the fiscal year which as of now and in the future, will be the June 30 closing of the previous years. The different Departments, Committees, and Commissions have been requested to submit their annual reports covering the previous calendar year which we trust will be somewhat helpful and more informative. This is a condition which exists and over which the town has no control.

With the construction of the Junior-Senior High School on Quaker Meeting House Road, the section of the road between Route 6A and the Mid-Cape Highway has been rebuilt under a Chapter 90 state plan. The safety of the travel way has been greatly improved especially the approach to the overpass at the Mid-Cape Highway. School Zone Traffic Signals have been installed at the main entrance to the school, also a blinker light at the intersection of Route 6A. Street lights have been ordered for the area too. All of these programs have been undertaken to improve the safety of the students and others who might have occasions to use the school facilities either during the day or night. We trust that these safety factors will be effective.

Talking about street lights, the Cape and Vineyard Division of the Electric Company has discontinued the use of the old type incandescent bulb street lights and are now using a Mercury Vapor tube street light. While these are slightly more expensive, the effects and coverage is much more satisfactory. There have been a few installed since the change and we feel that the improvement will be appreciated.

While we are still experiencing the effects of the economic conditions of the country and the world, Sandwich had a reasonably satisfactory year. There seemed to be more visitors and guests in town this past summer than ever before. Generally they did not have or were not willing to spend as

much money as before, but by all indications from reports received it was not too bad a season. The Hoxie House and Grist Mill enjoyed a reasonably good season and reports from other seasonal activities show satisfactory results under the existing conditions.

After several years of attempting to have Quaker Meeting House Road accepted as a Federal Secondary Road, some results have finally been obtained. The road was listed as a Minor Collector Road and we have finally been advised that it has been reclassified as a Major Collector Road. This is the necessary first step required before it can be reclassified as a part of the Federal-Aid Secondary System. Maybe some day we will make it.

Also, we feel happy to report real progress on a project which has been promoted for several years. Efforts have been carried on for several years to obtain suitable land for a Town Cemetery. The last attempt was to obtain a parcel of land from the Commonwealth which is located within the Otis area. We have finally been advised that the several departments involved have favorably considered our request and that when lease arrangements can be worked out, and with the Governor's approval, about 80 Acres of land on Route 130 almost across from Cotuit Road will be conveyed to the Town of Sandwich for cemetery purposes.

The usual town involved summer activities were again conducted with satisfactory results. The Memorial Day activities were conducted to continue to pay the town's respect to those who had been involved in previous wars of our country. The 4th of July celebrations were held throughout the day with the usual climax of a band concert, boat carnival and fireworks at night. Two summer musicals on Sunday afternoons were held at the Shawme Pond bandstand in conjunction with the Music Performance Trust Funds which were much enjoyed by those who attended.

One very pleasant and colorful activity was experienced by the town last summer with the Bicentennial Parade sponsored by the Sandwich Junior Woman's Club in cooperation with the Bicentennial Committee. It was evident that much work and planning was involved in the arrangement. The floats, bands and all those who participated created a very colorful parade which was certainly enjoyed and appreciated by all. We extend congratulations to all those who made this affair so successful.



One situation which continues to be a great problem is the vandalism and damages to our street signs. It is hard to understand what pleasure or satisfaction anyone gets in destroying street signs. For several years we have endeavored to identify town streets with metal signs installed on two inch steel posts. The repair and replacement of these damaged or destroyed signs is a continual problem and a financial cost. What is the answer?

Two other problems which the town is faced with and which will have to receive consideration at some point is surface drainage and sewerage. Both of these situations have been with us and will not go away. One of these days they will have to be seriously considered and some plans presented for the town's consideration.

1976 is the Bicentennial year. Our Bicentennial Committee has been hard at work to develop their plans for the town's activities to celebrate this occasion. What can be expected in the way of visitors is not known at this time, but it is felt that we will experience a very active year.

The Board of Selectmen were happy and pleased to welcome a visitor from Sandwich, England. Mrs. Jane DuBoulay, a Town Councillor from Sandwich, England, delivered a letter extending warm and sincere greetings from the Mayor and townspeople of Sandwich, England to citizens of our Sandwich. Mrs. DuBoulay is a very delightful person and the Selectmen spent a very pleasant day visiting with her.

The Board has appreciated working with and for the people of Sandwich throughout the year. We also wish to express our appreciation to the elected and appointed officials with whom we have worked during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL H. HILER, Chairman  
H. EUGENE CARR  
BENJAMIN D. FLEET  
Board of Selectmen



## Assessors' Report

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To the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

After a year of much confusion when conditions outside of our knowledge and control required an increase in our tax rate to \$28.00, we experienced in 1975 a set of more favorable circumstances which permitted the tax rate for fiscal 1976 to be reduced to \$23.00. We trust, without prediction, that the tax rate can be stabilized at the more reasonable figure.

While the economic conditions has somewhat slowed the rapid rate of growth during 1975, we still feel that we will experience an increase in the Town's tax base for fiscal 1977 above the 170-Million Dollar base reached in fiscal 1976.

As reported last year, the Superior Court has ruled in the Sudbury case that the Department of Corporations and Taxation has the responsibility to enforce the General Laws of the Commonwealth to see that all cities and towns assess property at a fair cash value. Throughout the year we have endeavored to delay another revaluation for Sandwich. Further delay at this time will create a problem as the Department strongly feels their responsibility under the court order. We are in a much more favorable position to act ourselves than to have the State make the move. It has reached the point where we will have to ask the town for funds to update our revaluation of 1969 so as to conform with the court order and the requirement of the Department of Corporations and Taxation.

Respectfully submitted,

H. EUGENE CARR, Chairman  
CARL H. HILER  
BENJAMIN D. FLEET  
Board of Assessors

# ASSESSORS' REPORT — VALUATION COMPARISON

	1974	Fiscal 1975	Fiscal 1976
Value of Real Estate	137,942,300.00	\$137,942,300.00	\$163,906,800.00
Value of Personal Property	4,759,100.00	4,759,100.00	5,766,800.00
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	142,701,400.00	142,701,400.00	169,673,600.00
Dwellings Assessed	3,364	3,364	4,706
Acres of Land Assessed	16,781	16,781	16,781
Number of Horses Assessed	65	65	63
Number of Cows Assessed	61	61	41
Value of Buildings	108,164,600.00	108,164,600.00	132,301,200.00
Value of Land	29,777,700.00	29,777,700.00	31,605,600.00
Net Amount Raised by Taxation	1,212,961.90	3,995,639.20	3,902,492.80
Overlay	21,575.99	67,189.38	108,787.81
Rate per \$1,000 Valuation	8.50	28.00	23.00

## Report of the Town Accountant

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

In accordance with Chapter 41, Section 61 of the General Laws, I herewith submit my fourth annual report covering the fiscal period July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975.

My sincere thanks to the Selectmen, Department Heads and Town Employees for the kind assistance and cooperation shown during the past fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY J. LAFFOON

Town Accountant

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### APPROPRIATIONS

July 1, 1974 — June 30, 1975

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Legislative	\$700.00
Law	20,000.00
Certification of Notes	36,000.00
Interest	639,000.00
Selectmen	30,500.00
Assessors	23,000.00
Accountant	9,360.00
Clerical, SA&A	30,000.00
Treasurer	7,445.00
Tax Collector	13,200.00
Town Clerk	7,300.00
Clerical — Treasurer, etc.	30,800.00
Election & Registration	9,750.00
Town Hall	9,400.00
Police	395,744.00
Fire	235,939.00
Forest Warden	1,700.00
Wood Roads	500.00

Insect Pest Control	5,000.00
Dutch Elm Control	14,000.00
Tree Warden	7,800.00
Wire Inspector	2,220.00
Building Inspector	11,360.00
Gas Inspector	2,000.00
Health and Sanitation	65,458.00
Public Health Nurse	49,025.00
Highway General	89,537.00
Finance Committee	500.00
Veterans Services	40,000.00
School	1,890,335.00
Library	40,931.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
Clark-Haddad Building	5,030.00
Street Lights	15,000.00
Planning Board	8,560.00
Appeals Board	3,925.00
Historic District Commission	200.00
Park Department	33,820.00
Memorial Day	800.00
Christmas Lighting	2,500.00
Tax Title Account	11,395.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00
Town Reports & Warrants	5,000.00
4th of July Celebration	2,800.00
Public Entertainment	500.00
Town Advertising	500.00
Binding Town Records	1,500.00
Green Head Fly Control	422.00
Recreation Committee	38,980.00
Fish & Game	300.00
Town Insurance	28,000.00
Town Clock	500.00
Cemeteries	9,250.00
Conservation Commission	31,790.00
Vocational School	50,281.89
School Loan — 1958	25,000.00
School Loan — 1963	50,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	17,500.00
Sandwich Historical Commission	800.00
Engineering Department	56,350.00
Civil Defense	400.00
Town Garage	6,830.00



Shellfish Warden	2,006.00
Dog & Conservation Officer	14,280.00
Council on Aging	7,000.00
Historic Study Commission	500.00
School Loan — 1974	625,000.00
Street Signs	1,000.00
Reserve	35,000.00
Land Damages	1,372.50
Cape Cod Mental Health Assoc.	1,097.00
School — Portable Classrooms	61,525.00
Dunbar Property Study	5,000.00
Restoration M&O	8,000.00
Eldred House Restoration	23,000.00
Thornton Burgess Centennial	5,000.00
Police Station Landscaping	1,300.00
Fire Station Building Committee	69,000.00
Town Hall Study Committee	2,000.00
Bicentennial Committee	5,000.00
Cape & Islands Home Care	500.00
Fire Chief Station Wagon Purchase	5,500.00
Town Neck Drainage	102,000.00
Juniper Hill Road Layout	5.00
Faunce Mountain Rd. & Morgan Trail Layout	5.00
June and Ida Lanes Layout	5.00
Conservation Land Purchase (Ridge Dist.)	5,000.00
Ryder Property Improvement	80,000.00
Highway Work:	
Popple Bottom Road	4,360.00
Section, Rte. 130	24,752.00
Section Tupper Rd.	17,920.00
Crowell Rd.	7,997.00
Section Kiah's Way	15,396.00
Sidewalk Construction & Repairs	6,898.00
Highway Dump Truck Purchase	18,500.00
Bourne Shellfish Program	1,000.00
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	\$5,284,856.39

### FROM AVAILABLE FUNDS

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Main St. Drainage — Knott Ave Drainage	\$1,500.00
Police — Police Prosecutor	1,680.00
Chapter 81, — Surplus Revenue	21,840.00
Chapter 81 — Chapter 1140, S. 22	7,941.00
Chapter 90 — Chapter 1140, S. 20	36,958.00
Chapter 90 — Chapter 1140, S. 22	53,655.00
Dunbar Property Purchase — Rev. Sharing	121,500.00
Library State Reimbursement 1973	1,964.93
Library — Dog Fund	1,842.45
Restoration Income — 1973	16,506.85
Marina Income — 1973	9,404.78
Thornton Burgess Income	5,000.00
	<hr/> \$279,793.01

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### AUTHORIZATION TO BORROW

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Town Neck Drainage	
Conservation Land Purchase	
	<hr/> \$550,000.00
	100,000.00
	<hr/> \$650,000.00

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*Handwritten notes:*  
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 Voted 5-6-74

### DISBURSEMENTS

Fiscal Year — July 1, 1974 — June 30, 1975

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Account	Amount
Legislative	\$325.00
Law	20,000.00
Certification of Notes	1,155.00
Finance Committee	384.77
Selectmen	31,090.91
Assessors	21,511.08
Town Accountant	9,360.00
Clerical — Selectmen, Assessors & Accountant	26,159.50

Account	Amount
Treasurer	7,680.07
Tax Collector	13,099.46
Town Clerk	6,981.09
Clerical — Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk	36,715.22
✓ Group Insurance — <del>Town's Share</del>	72,049.03
Election & Registration	9,081.15
Town Garage	5,398.34
Town Hall	9,367.80
Police Department	398,250.54
Police — Special Detail	5,770.65
Fire Department	235,976.84
Forest Warden	1,693.90
Insect Pest Control	4,991.26
Dutch Elm Control	14,000.00
Tree Warden	8,769.78
Wire Inspector	2,220.00
Building Inspector	11,339.75
Woods Roads	490.00
Gas Inspector	1,557.40
Dog & Conservation Officer	14,062.54
Health & Sanitation	58,153.98
Public Health Nurse	51,558.53
Highways General	89,536.49
Highways — Chapter 81	21,523.75
Highways — Chapter 90 — Cotuit Rd.	7,374.69
Highways — Chapter 90 — Quaker Mtg. Hse. Rd.	42,005.90
Main St.	2,089.64
Tyler Dr.	666.48
Knott Ave. Drainage	868.10
Main & School Street Sidewalk	4,966.05
Falmouth Rd. — Rte. 130	27,152.81
Pine St.	6,453.70
Atkins Rd.	2,034.00
Klah's Way	12,103.16
Mill Rd.	787.81
Popple Bottom Rd.	3,993.26
Sidewalk Repairs	2,376.25
Police Station Landscaping	1,300.00
Veteran's Services	25,616.80
School	1,850,878.47
School Lunch	65,066.26
School Athletic Fund	1,863.00
School — Public Law 874	2,084.48

Account	Amount
Title I Project P.L. 8910, E.S.E.A.	17,775.72
Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School District	50,281.89
School — Title II P.L. 8910	547.58
Library	54,936.68
Insurance Claims	2,124.46
Miscellaneous	375.91
Town Beaches & Parks	36,607.48
Engineering Department	56,805.91
Clark-Haddad Memorial Building	3,331.56
East Boat Basin Marina	4,863.20
Street Lights	17,619.67
Civil Defense	692.65
Planning Board	3,388.59
Appeal Board	2,385.38
Conservation Commission	31,757.79
Historic District Committee	893.65
Sandwich Historical Commission	476.50
Hoxie House & Grist Mill Maintenance & Operation	19,758.34
Recreation Committee	40,264.92
Memorial Day	763.20
Public Entertainment	400.00
Town Advertising	498.83
Care of Town Clock	375.00
Christmas Lighting	937.30
Binding Town Records	1,173.26
Tax Title & Foreclosure Account	7,735.30
Propagation of Shellfish	312.00
Propagation of Fish & Game	267.55
Town Insurance Account	27,822.40
Directional & Street Signs	1,013.50
Fourth of July Celebration	2,800.00
Town Neck Drainage	441,318.70
Fire Station Bldg. Committee	65,138.98
Dump Truck Purchase	4,837.00
Conservation Land Purchase — Ridge Dist.	105,000.00
Community School	179.59
School — Portable Classrooms	61,525.00
Printing Town Reports & Warrants	6,285.00
Police Station Building Committee	1,273.45
Green Head Fly Control	422.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00



Account	Amount
Eldred House Restoration	10,454.00
Thornton Burgess Centennial Committee	6,084.27
Bicentennial Comm.	4,946.59
Bourne Shellfish Program	1,000.00
1975 State Census	1,883.50
Land Damages	1,372.50
Swain Property Purchase	398,680.00
Advisory Landscape Council	49.50
Quaker Meeting House Rd. — Drainage Easement	1,000.00
School Construction — Clerk of Works	36,124.60
School Construction	6,826,872.37
Cape & Island Home Care	500.00
Conservation — Soil Survey	7,814.00
Brush-Breaker Tanker Conversion	997.97
Fire Chief Station Wagon	5,488.62
Cemeteries	8,712.13
Dunbar Property Purchase	121,500.00
Ryder Property Purchase	1,398,000.00
Ryder Property Improvement	5,733.56
Ryder Property Loan Payment	1,263,000.00
Debt Payment — School	75,000.00
Interest School Loans	326,847.51
Interest Municipal Bonds	79,651.93
Renewal School Temporary Notes	8,900,000.00 - <i>h. and Bond Issue</i>
Renewal Ryder Property Notes - <i>Bourne in Aug. of State Fed. Money</i>	1,313,000.00
Accrued Interest	5,102.73
Council on Aging	5,654.20
Mental Health Association	1,097.00

## Refunds:

1973 Excise Taxes	\$794.77
1974 Excise Taxes	2,232.52
1975 Excise Taxes	342.88
1972 Real Estate	45.00
1973 Real Estate	1,072.00
1974 Personal Property	55.25
1975 Personal Property	100.80
1974 Real Estate	1,498.20
1975 Real Estate	8,125.92
Tax Collector's Fee	3.00
Withholdings	72.01

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14,342.35

Account	Amount
Federal Tax Withholdings	340,288.19
State Tax Withholdings	92,101.11
Group Insurance Withholdings - <i>Employee Share</i>	30,113.89
Teachers Disability Ins. Withholdings	298.98
Teachers Retirement Withholdings	63,009.53
Teachers Annuity Withholdings	9,059.46
Teachers Association Dues	6,503.00
County Retirement Withholdings	45,410.33
Police Dues	57.00
Fire Dues	575.00
Proceeds Dog Licenses	3,652.10
Proceeds Sporting Licenses	5,048.75
Barnstable County Retirement	51,718.36
State Parks & Reservations	42,209.26
Veterans District Assessment	3,298.81
Air Pollution	259.41
Mosquito Control	16,224.52
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	907.80
Mary Baker Scholarship Fund	2,300.00
Samuel M. Beale, Jr. Fund	195.54
Holway Scholarship Fund	1,100.00
Freeman Nursing Fund	67.38
Geo. Wing Scholarship Fund	850.00
Belcher Scholarship Fund	100.00
Eaton Fund	119.55
Van Buskirk Scholarship Fund	100.00
Revenue Sharing Proceeds	165,325.00
Investment of Cash	18,467,579.00
State Sales Tax Collections	9.63
County Tax	286,217.61
Health Insurance	121.57
Sandwich Water District Collections	255,785.33
North Sagamore Water District	6,244.90
Marblehead Veteran Retirement Allowance	1,184.22
Somerville Retirement Allowance	2,377.54
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	\$45,047,222.74

# RECEIPTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR

July 1, 1974 — June 30, 1975

## Taxes:

Prior Years:	\$104,564.40	
Current — Fiscal Year 1975		
Personal	\$126,300.05	
Real	3,688,319.33	
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## Motor Vehicles and Trailer:

Prior Years	\$228,403.63	
Current — Fiscal Year 1975	68,932.57	
	<hr/>	297,336.20

Interest on Taxes	5,965.82
Police — Special Detail	5,770.65
Federal Tax Withholdings	340,303.44
State Tax Withholdings	92,107.35
Group Insurance Withholdings	30,137.88
Teachers' Disability Insurance	298.98
Teacher's Annuity Withholdings	9,059.46
Teachers, Retirement Withholdings	54,040.39
County Retirement Withholdings	45,421.34
Teachers' Association Dues	6,527.80
Proceeds Dog Licenses	3,635.00
Proceeds Sporting Licenses	5,048.75
Town Clerk's Fees	1,659.25
Tax Collector's Fees	900.00
1974 Dog Fund	3,135.78
Firemen's Dues	575.00
Police Dues	57.00

## State:

Veterans Services	\$22,665.10	
Bureau Tax Reimbursements	5,414.04	
Ryder Property Purchase	386,125.00	
	<hr/>	414,204.14

## State Aid to Highways:

Chapter 825	\$24,613.00	
Chapter 90	9,458.52	
Chapter 497	37,872.73	
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### County Aid to Highways:

## Chapter 90

**4,729.26**

### Federal Grants:

Fed. Safety (Radar Purchase)	\$1,175.00
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Medicare Reimbursements	7,661.23
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School — Public Law 874	6,185.00
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School — Title I Program	9,741.00
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Revenue Sharing	165,325.00
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Otis Trust Fund	821,602.00
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— Ryder Property Purchase	772,017.54 - 611,154.11
	<u>1,783,706.77</u>

### School Lunch Receipts:

School	\$42,840.27
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State	22,479.86
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65,320.13

## School Athletic Fund

1,003.61

### State Grants:

School Construction	\$26,466.36
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Loss of Taxes	877,001.98
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Local Aid	8,037.34
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Beano	79.91
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Library Aid	1,964.63
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Gas Tax — Ch. 58	19,115.81
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Spec. Education	9,272.00
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941,938.03

### Division of Tuition:

School Aid — Chapters 70, 71	\$245,873.71
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Mashpee Tuition Spec.	1,864.64
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247,738.35

### Selectmen's Licenses and Permits:

Amusements	\$40.00
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Sunday Entertainment	38.00
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Common Victualers	120.00
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Liquor	6,871.00
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Junk Dealers	25.00
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Auto Dealer	25.00
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Lodging House	7.00
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Public Weighers	3.00
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Taxi Cab	1.00	
Shellfish	42.00	
Fuel Storage	228.00	
Raffle, Bazaar	100.00	
Pool Table	20.00	
Hawkers and Peddlers	30.00	
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Refund — Tax Title Foreclosure	\$83.76	
Refund — Library	136.55	
Refund — School Dept.	164.20	
Refund — Police	229.84	
Refund — Restoration M & O	411.56	
Refund — Veterans	1,554.30	
Refund — Clark-Haddad	54.00	
Refund — Swain Prop. Purchase	199,800.00	
Refund — Town Insurance	676.00	
Refund — Tax Title	34.00	
Refund — Engineering	115.55	
Refund — Selectmen	5.72	
Refund — County Tax	19,979.22	
Refund — Interest	2,369.02	
Refund — Planning Board	8.91	
Refund — Fire	42.77	
Refund — Propagation Fish & Game	53.70	
	<hr/>	225,719.10

## Bank Proceeds from

Ryder Property	\$1,355,500.00
Sandwich Water Dist. Collections	255,785.33
No. Sagamore Water Dist. Collections	6,244.90
Ambulance Service	1,760.00
Court Fines	2,135.00
Care of Dogs	278.00
Prepaid Advertising	1,508.35
Trailer Coach Park	4,752.00
Town Maps and Zoning Booklets	228.35
Sub-Division Regulations	2.50
Park — Special Account	2,296.28
Nursing Fees	17,174.69
Building Permits	4,592.00
Plumbing Permits	2,351.00
Wire Inspector's Fees	1,094.00
Gas Inspector	772.00

Engineering — Assessors Maps	2.30	
Engineering Inspector's Fees	9,769.90	
Certificates of Municipal Liens	612.00	
Sale of Dogs	20.00	
Board of Health	1,072.00	
Telephone Booth Income	69.97	
Street and Voting Lists	53.00	
Reimbursements — Shellfish	150.00	
Reimbursements — Court Payment	79.75	
Reimbursements — School — Title I	113.43	
Reimbursements — Restoration M & O	125.00	
Reimbursements — Street Signs	18.00	
Reimbursements — Recreation	7.00	
Dog Officer Fees	788.00	
Police — Photostatic Copies	737.70	
Police — Fire Arms — Permits	1,985.00	
Police — Misc.	78.00	
Beach Parking Fees	547.00	
Lease — Town Beach	100.00	
Sales Tax Collection	9.63	
Business Certificates	16.00	
Concrete Pipe Anti-Trust	17.59	
Restoration Income	19,589.90	
Gift in Lieu of Taxes	1,219.95	
Insurance Claims	4,031.76	
Tax Title Redemption	159.60	
Custodial Fees	27.27	
Library Fines	802.56	
Temporary Loan Proceeds —		
School Construction	16,593,000.00	
Municipal Loan Proceeds	500,000.00	
Accrued Interest —		
Temporary Loan Proceeds	13,257.21	
Marina Income	10,309.94	
Withdrawals — Savings Account	100,000.00	
Withdrawals — Revenue Sharing	122,810.57	
Bookkeeping Fees	28.35	
Sale of Beach Stickers	3,488.15	
Interest — Investment Cash	145,000.74	
Bicentennial Income	638.65	
Investment Cash	16,959,852.00	
Thornton Burgess Income	6,776.56	
Clerk of Works	36,911.50	
		36,190,750.38

**Trust Fund Income:**

Library	\$13,779.12	
Eaton Fund	248.77	
Holway Scholarship Fund	1,100.00	
Samuel Beale, Jr. Fund	195.54	
Hannah B. Belcher Fund	100.00	
Baker Scholarship Fund	2,100.00	
Freeman Nursing Fund	58.33	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	504.44	
Elizabeth VanBuskirk Fund	100.00	
George Wing Scholarship Fund	850.00	
Establish Harrison Scholarship Fund	4,000.00	
		23,036.20
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		\$44,798,812.09

**CLASSIFICATION OF ACCOUNTS****July 1, 1974 — June 30, 1975****LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT**

Moderator	\$200.00	
Clerical	95.00	
Posting Warrants	30.00	
To Revenue	375.00	
		\$700.00
Appropriation		\$700.00

**LAW DEPARTMENT**

Legal Fees and Charges	\$20,000.00
Appropriation	\$20,000.00

**CERTIFICATION OF NOTES**

Certification of Notes	\$1,155.00	
To Revenue	34,845.00	
		\$36,000.00
Appropriation		\$36,000.00

**FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Secretary of Finance Committee	\$250.00
Dues	55.00
Supplies	1.50
Meeting Expense	78.27

To Revenue	115.23	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

**SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT**

Selectmen's Salaries	\$23,000.00	
Office Supplies	1,561.76	
Telephone	455.29	
Advertising	281.25	
Recording Fees	1,030.10	
Meeting Expense	414.91	
Equipment	183.60	
Equipment Repairs	350.10	
Dues	189.50	
Signs	362.18	
Legal Fees	1,051.45	
Deacon Eldred House	564.64	
Dunbar House	1,081.13	
Concert	312.00	
Water	30.00	
Box Rent	8.00	
Land Purchase	200.00	
Miscellaneous	10.00	
To Revenue	419.81	
	<hr/>	\$31,505.72
Appropriation	\$30,500.00	
Reserve	1,000.00	
Refund	5.72	
	<hr/>	\$31,505.72

**ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT**

Assessors' Salaries	\$4,636.00	
Office Supplies	2,110.20	
Telephone	1,220.30	
Abstracts and Maps	1,218.50	
Assessing Services	9,297.60	
Computer Service	2,750.68	
Meeting Expense	67.00	
Dues	51.00	
Recording	55.30	
Equipment Repairs	104.50	
To Revenue	1,488.92	
	<hr/>	\$23,000.00
Appropriation		\$23,000.00



**TOWN ACCOUNTANT**

Salary	\$9,360.00
Appropriation	\$9,360.00

**CLERICAL — SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS, ACCOUNTANT**

Clerical Salary and Wages	\$26,159.50	
To Revenue	3,840.50	
	<hr/>	\$30,000.00
Appropriation		\$30,000.00

**TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT**

Treasurer's Salary	\$4,150.00	
Office Supplies	1,711.53	
Envelopes and Check Blanks	504.60	
Telephone	300.52	
Meeting Expense	64.65	
Bond Insurance	636.15	
Equipment	102.50	
Equipment Repairs & Maint.	47.02	
Clerical	150.00	
Recording	5.10	
Dues	8.00	
To Revenue	50.93	
	<hr/>	\$7,731.00
Appropriation	\$7,445.00	
Refund	286.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,731.00

**TAX COLLECTOR'S DEPARTMENT**

Tax Collector's Salary	\$6,800.00	
Deputy Collector	15.00	
Office Supplies	1,122.20	
Telephone	243.63	
Recording	5.10	
Bond	258.00	
Advertising	28.80	
Computer Service	2,878.85	
Equipment Repairs	45.00	
Tax Bills and Envelopes	1,570.33	
Meeting Expense	116.55	
Dues	8.00	
Box Rent	8.00	
To Revenue	100.54	
	<hr/>	\$13,200.00
Appropriation		\$13,200.00

**TOWN CLERK**

Town Clerk's Salary	\$5,000.00	
Office Supplies	1,323.26	
Telephone	99.54	
Bond	10.00	
Advertising	388.91	
Equipment Repairs	61.55	
Dues & Subscription	20.00	
Clerical	23.60	
Meeting Expense	22.90	
Iron Mt. Security Storage Corp.	45.00	
To Revenue	305.24	
	<hr/>	\$7,300.00
Appropriation		\$7,300.00

**CLERICAL — TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR,  
TOWN CLERK**

Salary and Wages		\$36,400.00
Appropriation	\$30,800.00	
Reserve	5,600.00	
	<hr/>	\$36,400.00

**ELECTION AND REGISTRATION**

Registrars	\$1,380.00	
Checkers at Town Meeting	474.88	
Election Officers	2,251.66	
Advertising	110.26	
Supplies	934.08	
Equipment Rental	100.00	
Street Listing	2,601.22	
Police	1,121.60	
Janitor	189.00	
Firemen	216.00	
Mileage	4.00	
To Revenue	372.80	
	<hr/>	\$9,755.50
Appropriation	\$9,750.00	
Refund	5.50	
	<hr/>	\$9,755.50

**TOWN GARAGE**

Fuel	\$3,231.87
Light & Power	1,141.75
Supplies	164.19

Bldg. Maintenance	759.55	
Janitor	425.00	
Water	30.00	
To Revenue	1,077.64	
	<hr/>	\$6,830.00
Appropriation		\$6,830.00

**TOWN HALL**

Fuel	\$2,113.44	
Light & Power	803.04	
Supplies	996.88	
Maintenance & Repairs	3,893.06	
Janitor	907.50	
Water	30.00	
Telephone	93.48	
Landscaping	530.40	
To Revenue	32.20	
	<hr/>	\$9,400.00
Appropriation		\$9,400.00

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Salaries	\$242,350.51	
Special Police	23,598.29	
Court Time	12,939.71	
Overtime	20,121.76	
Gas & Oil	20,416.91	
Car Wash	205.50	
Tires	2,536.09	
Supplies	4,312.14	
Repairs	9,036.20	
Firearms Training	1,684.80	
Telephone, Teletype	6,075.59	
Ammunition, Equipment	6,438.44	
Uniforms	6,156.95	
Mileage, Meeting Expense	2,503.81	
Dues	170.00	
Insurance	2,311.00	
Advertising	92.07	
Juvenile & Safety	90.19	
Special Investigation	2,240.23	
New Cruisers and Lettering	19,152.00	
School Guard	780.00	
Box Rent	5.00	
Prosecutor	7,650.00	

**(Building Expense)**

Janitor	\$1,820.00	
Fuel	797.31	
Light & Power	2,214.10	
Supplies	357.25	
Maintenance/Repairs	1,446.43	
Landscaping	598.26	
Snowplowing	120.00	
Water	30.00	
To Revenue	15.55	
	<hr/>	\$398,266.09
Appropriation	\$395,744.00	
Refund	309.59	
Reserve	2,212.50	
	<hr/>	\$398,266.09

**POLICE — SPECIAL DETAIL**

Officers Salaries	\$5,770.65
Refunds	\$5,770.65

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Salaries	\$187,323.04
Telephone	1,944.01
Office Supplies	367.21
Fire Supplies	1,735.13
Gas & Oil	3,729.90
Equipment/Truck Repairs	11,685.65
Insurance	5,417.08
Advertising	55.00
Tires	885.70
Dues & Subscriptions	92.50
Uniforms and Clothing	1,894.58
Meeting Expense	288.05
Call Dept.	3,280.32
Ambulance Supplies, Laundry	1,077.96
Fire Training Courses	706.00
Medical Exams and X-Rays	680.00
Repaint Brushbreaker	253.25

**Sandwich Station**

Fuel	3,676.43
Light & Power	1,837.05
Water	60.00
Equipment	26.10



Maintenance	1,208.54
Repairs	2,292.08
Supplies	1,135.64
Bldg. Renovation	981.23

**East Sandwich Station**

Light and Power	355.24
Fuel	1,167.31
Maintenance and Repairs	37.90
Telephone	132.41

**Forestdale Station**

Light and Power	344.67
Maintenance and Repairs	302.13
Fuel	851.64
Telephone	153.09
To Revenue	4.93

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 \$235,981.77

Appropriation	\$235,939.00
Refund	42.77

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 \$235,981.77
**FOREST WARDEN**

Gas & Oil	\$45.04
Truck Supplies	522.06
Supplies	292.70
Equipment	489.10
Removing Brush	50.00
Maintenance/Repairs	295.00
To Revenue	6.10

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 \$1,700.00

Appropriation	\$1,700.00
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**WOODS ROADS**

Superintendent	\$210.00
Labor	280.00
To Revenue	10.00

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 \$500.00

Appropriation	\$500.00
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**INSECT PEST CONTROL**

Superintendent	\$1,725.00
Labor	2,768.60
Spray Material	275.00

Supplies	164.40	
Truck and Equipment Repairs	58.26	
To Revenue	8.74	
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		\$5,000.00
Appropriation		\$5,000.00

**DUTCH ELM CONTROL**

Superintendent	\$2,869.00	
Labor	2,809.32	
Removal of Dead Elms & Tree Trimming	8,220.40	
Meeting Expense	101.28	
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		\$14,000.00
Appropriation		\$14,000.00

**TREE WARDEN**

Superintendent's Salary	\$2,000.00	
Labor	301.00	
Supplies	194.06	
Gas & Oil	557.58	
Truck & Equipment Repairs	75.08	
Tree Trimming and Removal	3,633.04	
Purchase of Trees	1,537.90	
Dues	13.00	
Insurance	408.65	
Meeting Expense	49.47	
To Revenue	30.22	
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		\$8,800.00
Appropriation	\$7,800.00	
Reserve	1,000.00	
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		\$8,800.00

**WIRE INSPECTOR**

Salary	\$2,100.00	
Expenses	95.00	
Supplies	25.00	
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		\$2,220.00
Appropriation		\$2,220.00

**BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Inspector's Salary	\$8,840.00
Deputy Inspector	1,066.85
Supplies	279.77

Expenses	1,153.13	
To Revenue	20.25	
	<hr/>	\$11,360.00
Appropriation		\$11,360.00

**GAS INSPECTOR**

Inspector's Salary	\$1,375.00	
Mileage	157.40	
Supplies	25.00	
To Revenue	442.60	
	<hr/>	\$2,000.00
Appropriation		\$2,000.00

**DOG AND CONSERVATION OFFICER**

Officer's Salary	\$8,580.00	
Clerical	1,596.38	
Supplies	345.18	
Dog Care, Food	74.05	
Equipment & Maint.	925.22	
Labor	433.21	
Clothing	68.00	
Gas & Oil	984.77	
Insurance	38.00	
Truck Repairs	542.49	
Tires	45.86	
Utilities: water, tele. lights	404.62	
Court Expense	14.48	
Advertising	7.00	
Meeting Expense	3.28	
To Revenue	217.46	
	<hr/>	\$14,280.00
Appropriation		\$14,280.00

**HEALTH AND SANITATION**

Board Salaries	\$2,108.00	
Board of Health Agent's Salary	3,647.00	
Dump Caretaker's Salary	11,492.40	
Plumbing Inspector's Salary	7,500.00	
Asst. Plumbing Insp. Salary	240.00	
Inspector of Animals Fee	300.00	
Animal Inspector's Mileage & Exp.	189.10	
Light & Power	272.71	
Supplies	1,065.13	
Dump Maintenance	18,230.00	

Telephone	236.00	
Mileage	896.60	
Advertising	27.84	
Rabies Clinic	249.20	
Engineering	11,700.00	
To Revenue	7,304.02	
	<hr/>	\$65,458.0
Appropriation		\$65,458.0

## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Salary	\$10,242.00	
Substitute Nurse Salary	2,416.89	
Clerical	7,601.04	
Asst. Clerical	640.00	
Mileage	732.00	
Homemaker Service	21,975.98	
Therapy Service	1,782.00	
Medical Supplies	235.32	
Office Supplies	443.89	
Telephone, Ansa Service	949.84	
Rent	980.00	
Light & Power	174.53	
Maintenance & Repairs	491.09	
Fuel	313.30	
Water	15.00	
Equipment	48.50	
Meeting Expense	55.00	
Dues	103.00	
Insurance	12.05	
	<hr/>	\$49,211.43
Appropriation	\$49,025.00	
Reserve	186.43	
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## HIGHWAYS — GENERAL

Surveyor's Salary	\$11,752.00
Labor	29,850.50
Truck	389.04
Truck Repairs	1,271.75
Gas & Oil	4,548.31
Supplies	2,628.22
Equipment	9,683.10
Equipment Repairs	373.99
Equipment Rental	940.00



Tires	563.08
Patch	101.90
Gravel & Sand	2,292.20
Fuel	105.76
Mowing	110.00
Signs	85.02
Telephone	284.42
Advertising	120.72
Insurance	482.68
Dues	10.00
Meeting Expense	52.60

**(Snow & Ice Control)**

Labor	5,985.25
Truck	4,438.00
Repairs	707.70
Salt	10,946.81
Sand	1,813.44
To Revenue	.51

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\$89,537.00

Appropriation \$89,537.00
**HIGHWAYS — Chapter 81**

Labor	\$9,484.00
Asphalt & Road Oil	11,246.40
Sand	793.35
Balance June 30, 1975	8,257.25

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\$29,781.00

Balance July 1, 1974 \$29,781.00
**OIL TREATMENT TOWN ROADS**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$22,000.00
Transfer Surplus Revenue May 5, 1975	\$22,000.00

**HIGHWAYS — CHAPTER 90****(Quaker Meeting House Rd.)**

Contract 27621	\$27,479.34
27730	14,364.81
Balance June 30, 1975	80,213.69

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\$122,057.84

Balance July 1, 1974	\$107,870.06
Reimbursements (County & State)	14,187.78

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\$122,057.84

# **HIGHWAYS — CHAPTER 90** **(Cotuit Road)**

Contract #26768/69	\$7,374.69
Balance July 1, 1974	\$7,374.69

## **CHASE'S POINT ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$838.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$838.00

## **GROVE STREET & ACADEMY LANE**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,200.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,200.00

## **DRAINAGE — TYLER DRIVE**

Labor	\$102.34	
Equipment	564.14	
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		\$666.48
Balance July 1, 1974		\$666.48

## **MAIN STREET DRAINAGE**

Equipment Rental		\$2,089.64
Transfer from Knott Ave. Drainage	\$1,500.00	
Reserve	589.64	
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		\$2,089.64

## **MORSE ROAD & WATER STREET**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$250.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$250.00

## **PLOUGHED NECK ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$8,097.80
Balance July 1, 1974	\$8,097.80

## **POPPLE BOTTOM ROAD**

Balance July 30, 1975	\$2,698.29
Balance July 1, 1974	\$2,698.29

## **EAST SANDWICH BEACH PARKING AREA**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,800.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,800.00

## **PLANK WALK REPAIRS**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$776.88
Balance July 1, 1974	\$776.88

**SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION (TOWN NECK)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$6,752.10
Balance July 1, 1974	\$6,752.10

**SECTION TUPPER ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$17,920.00
Appropriation	\$17,920.00

**MILL ROAD (OFF OLD COUNTY)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$500.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$500.00

**PHILLIPS ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$660.76
Balance July 1, 1974	\$660.76

**WATER STREET — GRADING**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,000.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,000.00

**JARVES STREET (CURB & PAVING)**

Labor	\$92.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$92.00

**MAIN & SCHOOL STREETS****(Sidewalk Repair)**

Labor	\$1,658.00	
Paving Material	2,006.80	
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		\$3,664.80
Balance July 1, 1974		\$3,664.80

**POPPLE BOTTOM ROAD**

Labor	\$1,264.18	
Paving Material	2,729.08	
Balance June 30, 1975	366.74	
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		\$4,360.00
Appropriation		\$4,360.00

**KIAH'S WAY**

Labor	\$547.00	
Paving Material	11,556.16	
Balance June 30, 1975	3,292.84	
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		\$15,396.00
Appropriation		\$15,396.00

**FALMOUTH — RTE. 130**

Labor	\$624.00	
Equipment	2,130.99	
Paving	21,997.01	
	<hr/>	\$24,752.00
Appropriation		\$24,752.00

**ATKINS ROAD**

Paving		\$2,034.00
Balance July 1, 1974		\$2,034.00

**CROWELL ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975		\$7,997.00
Appropriation		\$7,997.00

**MILL ROAD**

Paving		\$787.81
Balance July 1, 1974		\$787.81

**KNOTT AVENUE DRAINAGE**

Labor		\$868.10
Balance July 1, 1974		\$868.10

**SIDEWALK REPAIRS**

Paving	\$3,585.50	
Balance June 30, 1975	3,312.50	
	<hr/>	\$6,898.00
Appropriation		\$6,898.00

**PINE STREET (DRAINAGE & WIDENING)**

Labor	\$1,753.25	
Equipment	4,700.45	
Balance June 30, 1975	5,166.80	
	<hr/>	\$11,620.50
Balance July 1, 1974		\$11,620.50

**ROUTE 130 — (QUAKER MEETING HOUSE ROAD  
TO SNAKE POND ROAD)**

Labor	\$1,032.00	
Equipment	270.56	
Backhoe	1,260.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	5,177.57	
	<hr/>	\$7,740.13
Balance July 1, 1974		\$7,740.13



**SNAKE POND ROAD — PAVING**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,442.02
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,442.02

**KIAH'S WAY**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$2,362.07
Balance July 1, 1974	\$2,362.07

**JONES LANE**

Balance July 30, 1975	\$419.58
Balance July 1, 1974	\$419.58

**CULVERT — JONES ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,325.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,325.00

**MAIN STREET (RTE. 130 AT MORSE ROAD)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,455.45
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,455.45

**SHAWME ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$3,000.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$3,000.00

**MILL ROAD****(South of Beltline)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$2,500.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$2,500.00

**VETERANS SERVICES**

Cash Grants	\$9,850.02	
Medical	13,345.83	
Fuel	1,512.75	
Miscellaneous	734.44	
Graves Officer	173.76	
To Revenue	15,937.50	
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		\$41,554.30
Appropriation	\$40,000.00	
Refunds	1,554.30	
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		\$41,554.30

**SCHOOL**

Administration	\$65,967.64
Instruction	1,367,448.28

Other School Services	169,308.95	
Operation & Maintenance of Plant	216,159.60	
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	15,240.66	
Programs Other Dists. & Priv. Schs.	5,122.54	
Community Services	4,801.80	
Fixed Charges	7,688.00	
To Revenue	38,761.73	
	<hr/>	\$1,890,499.20
Appropriation	\$1,890,335.00	
Refunds	164.20	
	<hr/>	\$1,890,499.20

**SCHOOL LUNCH**

Salaries	\$24,396.89	
Groceries	22,789.83	
Milk	17,133.44	
Transportation	746.10	
Balance June 30, 1975	4,507.26	
	<hr/>	\$69,573.52
Balance July 1, 1974	\$4,253.39	
School Receipts	43,523.25	
State Receipts	21,796.88	
	<hr/>	\$69,573.52

**SCHOOL — PUBLIC LAW**

Instruction	\$2,084.48	
Balance June 30, 1975	45,996.54	
	<hr/>	\$48,081.82
Balance July 1, 1974	\$41,896.02	
State Receipts	6,185.00	
	<hr/>	\$48,081.82

**SCHOOL ATHLETIC FUND**

Officials	\$859.00	
Scorers	1,004.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	1.36	
	<hr/>	\$1,864.36
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1.75	
Receipts	1,862.61	
	<hr/>	\$1,864.36

**SCHOOL — TITLE I**

Disbursements		\$17,060.88
Balance July 1, 1974	\$7,319.88	
State Receipts	9,741.00	
	<hr/>	\$17,060.88

**SCHOOL — TITLE II**

Disbursements	\$1,262.43	
Balance June 30, 1975	65.07	
	<hr/>	\$1,327.50
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,214.07	
State Reimbursements	113.43	
	<hr/>	\$1,327.50

**SCHOOL NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION****TITLE V — P.L. 85-864**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$24.25
Balance July 1, 1974	\$24.25

**UPPER CAPE COD REGIONAL V.T. SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Assessments	\$50,281.89
Appropriation	\$50,281.89

**LIBRARY**

Salaries	\$32,979.06	
Janitor	2,034.66	
Story Hour	25.00	
Supplies	753.83	
Books	9,984.70	
Periodicals	792.66	
Dues	20.00	
Accounting	98.00	
Fuel	1,376.56	
Light and Power	2,343.90	
Water	30.00	
Telephone	317.28	
Maintenance	1,539.07	
Equipment	396.20	
Landscaping	1,233.00	
Appraisals	50.00	
Insurance	54.00	
Advertising	2.40	
Box Rental	8.00	
Christmas Wreaths	23.00	
Interior Renovation	850.00	
Refreshments	25.36	
Balance June 30, 1975	2,329.74	
	<hr/>	\$57,266.42
Balance July 1, 1974	\$582.80	

Appropriation	40,931.00	
Refunds	131.05	
Income	13,779.12	
Dog Fund	1,842.45	
	<hr/>	\$57,266.42

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

"Slow School Zone" Signs	\$50.91	
Exterminating Beetles (Dunbar)	325.00	
To Revenue	124.09	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

#### EAST BOAT BASIN MARINE

Capital Expenditures	\$3,318.20	
Paving Boat Ramp	1,545.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	11,308.47	
	<hr/>	\$16,171.67
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5,861.73	
Marina Receipts	10,309.94	
	<hr/>	\$16,171.67

#### PARK DEPARTMENT

Foreman Salary	\$9,360.00
Janitor	1,058.00
Labor	9,947.50
Equipment	1,201.95
Equipment Maintenance	522.80
Truck Maintenance	830.09
Maintenance and Repairs	1,070.88
Supplies	2,900.12
Gas & Oil	1,687.32
Light and Power	163.63
Telephone	253.67
Water	60.00
Fuel	22.75
Signs	217.35
Meeting Expense	36.02
Special Account (WIN Employee)	4,202.28
Insurance	62.00
Snake Pond Beach Improvement	690.00
Purchase second hand Truck	1,500.00
Landscaping	763.45
Concert	250.00



To Revenue	1,222.47	
	<hr/>	\$38,022.28
Appropriation	\$33,820.00	
State Receipts (WIN Program)	4,202.28	
	<hr/>	\$38,022.28

### ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Salary	\$19,500.00	
Labor	21,509.63	
Clerical	1,736.25	
Office and Drafting Supplies	6,086.77	
Equipment and Repairs	2,081.21	
Car Repair	153.33	
Meeting Expense	105.95	
Mileage	592.10	
Gas & Oil	839.57	
Telephone	614.85	
Insurance	307.33	
Station Wagon	2,873.61	
Advertising	15.36	
Recording	11.60	
To Revenue	37.99	
	<hr/>	\$56,465.55
Appropriation	\$56,350.00	
Refund	115.55	
	<hr/>	\$56,465.55

### CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING

Janitor	\$776.50	
Fuel	856.59	
Light & Power	202.89	
Water	30.00	
Supplies	262.27	
Repairs	154.93	
Maintenance	461.90	
Rubbish Removal	130.00	
Equipment	456.48	
To Revenue	1,752.44	
	<hr/>	\$5,084.00
Appropriation	\$5,030.00	
Refund	54.00	
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**STREET LIGHTS**

Street Lights for F.Y. 1975		\$17,619.67
Appropriation	\$15,000.00	
Reserve	2,619.67	
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		\$17,619.67

**CIVIL DEFENSE**

Telephone	\$288.45	
Mileage	58.00	
Supplies	82.00	
Surplus Property	75.00	
Equipment	180.40	
Box Rent	8.80	
To Revenue	32.35	
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		\$725.00
Appropriation	\$400.00	
Reserve	325.00	
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		\$725.00

**PLANNING BOARD**

Clerical	\$2,048.55	
Advertising	104.24	
Supplies	254.62	
Professional Services		
(Pilip Herr Assoc.)	692.48	
Legal Services	228.20	
Dues	30.00	
To Revenue	5,210.82	
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		\$8,568.91
Appropriation	\$8,560.00	
Refund	8.91	
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		\$8,568.91

**BOARD OF APPEALS**

Clerical	\$1,828.00	
Advertising	356.92	
Supplies	201.60	
Dues	15.00	
Mileage	14.36	
To Revenue	1,509.12	
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		\$3,925.00
Appropriation		\$3,925.00

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

Labor	\$11,184.50	
Equipment	2,484.56	
Equip. Parts and Repairs	670.03	
Telephone	9.94	
Meeting Expense	5.00	
Recording Plans & Deeds	3,629.64	
Advertising	36.00	
Clerical	195.00	
Truck Parts & Repairs	804.73	
Gas & Oil	493.91	
Briar Patch	1,898.00	
Ryder Property	2,082.00	
Supplies	1,343.98	
Rental of Equipment	426.50	
Architect	500.00	
Seedling Program	134.00	
Legal Services	5,850.00	
Medical Services	15.00	
To Revenue	27.21	
	<hr/>	\$31,790.00
Appropriation		\$31,790.00

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
LAND ACQUISITION FUND**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$5,583.96
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5,583.96

**RESTORATION — MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION  
(Hoxie House)**

Salaries	\$4,129.65
Light & Power	342.89
Telephone	319.83
Supplies	371.06
Advertising	402.42
Maintenance & Repairs	401.12
Water	30.00
Insurance	29.00
Arnold's Security Corp.	43.50
Bond	40.94
Petty Cash	50.00
Landscaping	223.87

## (Grist Mill)

Salaries	6,596.90	
Supplies	1,153.88	
Advertising	402.42	
Corn	3,123.88	
Repairs	73.40	
Maintenance	1,823.78	
Landscaping	136.80	
Petty Cash	75.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	19,852.21	
	<hr/>	\$39,622.55
Balance July 1, 1974	\$11,496.09	
Appropriation	8,000.00	
1974 Income	19,589.90	
Refunds	536.56	
	<hr/>	\$39,622.55

## HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

Clerical	\$33.46	
Advertising	166.54	
	<hr/>	\$200.00
Appropriation		\$200.00

## SANDWICH HISTORIC DISTRICT STUDY COMMITTEE

Clerical	\$337.29	
Advertising	76.50	
Supplies	346.86	
Postage	10.00	
To Revenue	4.35	
	<hr/>	\$775.00
Appropriation	\$500.00	
Reserve	275.00	
	<hr/>	\$775.00

## SANDWICH HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Clerical	\$25.12	
Photos & Maps	272.06	
Dues	10.00	
Supplies	92.32	
To Revenue	400.50	
	<hr/>	\$800.00
Appropriation		\$800.00



**MEMORIAL DAY**

Flags & Markers	\$378.20	
Band	385.00	
To Revenue	36.80	
	<hr/>	\$800.00
Appropriation		\$800.00

**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT**

Band	\$375.00	
Public Address Equip.	25.00	
To Revenue	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

**TOWN ADVERTISING**

Advertising	\$498.83	
To Revenue	1.17	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

**TOWN CLOCK**

Care of Town Clock	\$375.00	
To Revenue	125.00	
	<hr/>	\$500.00
Appropriation		\$500.00

**CHRISTMAS LIGHTING**

Christmas Lighting	\$937.30	
To Revenue	1,562.70	
	<hr/>	\$2,500.00
Appropriation		\$2,500.00

**JETTIES**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$50,380.86
Balance July 1, 1974	\$50,380.86

**BINDING TOWN RECORDS**

Binding Town Records	\$1,173.26	
To Revenue	326.74	
	<hr/>	\$1,500.00
Appropriation		\$1,500.00

**TAX TITLE ACCOUNTS**

Tax Title Disbursements	\$7,735.30	
To Revenue	3,693.70	
	<hr/>	\$11,429.00

Appropriation	\$11,395.00	
Refund	34.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,429.00

**RESERVE**

Thornton Burgess Committee	\$1,050.00	
Police	2,212.50	
Clerical—Treas., Tax Collector	5,600.00	
Main St. Drainage	589.64	
Selectmen	1,000.00	
Civil Defense	325.00	
Historic District	275.00	
Tree Warden	1,000.00	
Public Health Nurse		
(Homemaker)	2,347.10	
Town Reports	1,285.00	
Street Lights	2,619.67	
Recreation Committee	1,300.00	
1975 Census	1,883.50	
Eldred House	2,864.00	
Drainage Easement—		
Quaker Mtg. Hse. Rd.	1,000.00	
Public Health Nurse	186.43	
To Revenue	9,462.16	
	<hr/>	\$35,000.00
Appropriation		\$35,000.00

**BOURNE SHELLFISH PROGRAM**

Shellfish Program	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

**PROPAGATION — SHELLFISH**

Wardens Salary	\$312.00	
To Revenue	1,694.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,006.00
Appropriation		\$2,006.00

**PROPAGATION — FISH & GAME**

Corn	\$267.55	
To Revenue	86.15	
	<hr/>	\$353.70
Appropriation	\$300.00	
Refund	53.70	
	<hr/>	\$353.70

**TOWN INSURANCE**

Town Insurance	\$27,822.40	
To Revenue	567.60	
	<hr/>	\$28,390.00
Appropriation	\$28,000.00	
Refund	390.00	
	<hr/>	\$28,390.00

**BRUSHING TOWN ROADS**

To Revenue	\$81.78
Balance July 1, 1974	\$81.78

**DIRECTIONAL AND STREET SIGNS**

Labor	\$100.00	
Material	913.50	
To Revenue	9.01	
	<hr/>	\$1,022.51
Balance July 1, 1974	\$22.51	
Appropriation	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,022.51

**NUMBERING OF BUILDINGS**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$5.08
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.08

**FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION**

Fireworks Display	\$2,800.00
Appropriation	\$2,800.00

**PRINTING TOWN REPORTS AND WARRANTS**

Printing		\$6,285.00
Appropriation	\$5,000.00	
Reserve	1,285.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,285.00

**GREENHEAD FLY CONTROL**

Town's Share of County Program	\$422.00
Appropriation	\$422.00

**HYDRANT RENTAL**

Hydrant Rental	\$1,000.00
Appropriation	\$1,000.00

**RECREATION**

Director's Salary	\$4,499.84
Staff Salaries	8,481.40

Grounds Crew	360.38	
Summer Recreation Supplies	1,959.62	
Drama	1,603.34	
Babe Ruth League	1,721.60	
Teener League	1,611.30	
Little League	2,873.50	
Adult Softball	799.90	
Soccer	341.75	
Ice Hockey Program	12,785.00	
Figure Skating	928.20	
Field Hockey	478.30	
Wood Carving	160.00	
Advertising	16.25	
Police	505.00	
Insurance	144.00	
Basketball Dues & Fee	125.00	
Dances	18.00	
Telephone	4.54	
Repairs	168.75	
Mileage, Bus Drivers, Toll Fees	408.50	
Swim	95.75	
Gymnastics	175.00	
To Revenue	15.08	
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		\$40,280.00
Appropriation	\$38,980.00	
Reserve	1,300.00	
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		\$40,280.00

### SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

#### (Clerk of Works)

Elementary	\$15,999.88	
Jr.-Sr. High	19,999.72	
Clerical	125.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	2,787.10	
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		\$38,911.70
Balance July 1, 1974	\$2,000.20	
Transfers from School Const. Proj.	36,911.50	
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		\$38,911.70

### SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

#### (Elementary)

Architect Fees	\$26,130.79
Contractor	1,630,422.95
Test Holes	862.16



Furniture & Equipment	46,870.49
Advertising	61.77
Clerk of Works	20,088.45
Furnishings & Supplies	25,426.51

**(Jr.-Sr. High)**

Architect Fees	\$57,466.02	
Contractor	4,980,875.65	
Test Holes	5,806.56	
Supplies	14.99	
Advertising	135.98	
Clerk of Works	16,823.05	
Insurance	2,251.00	
Equipment	13,636.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	69,175.62	
	<hr/>	\$6,896,047.99
Balance July 1, 1974	\$506,070.22	
Temporary Loan Receipts	6,389,977.77	
	<hr/>	\$6,896,047.99

**SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PROJECT****(Special Appropriation)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$155,250.00
Appropriation	\$155,250.00

**PORTABLE CLASSROOMS**

Final Payment	\$61,525.00	
To Revenue	59.07	
	<hr/>	\$61,584.07
Balance July 1, 1974	\$59.07	
Appropriation	61,525.00	
	<hr/>	\$61,584.07

**SCHOOL LAND PURCHASE****(Quaker Meeting House Road)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$28,002.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$28,002.00

**GULLY LANE**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**KNOTT AVENUE EASEMENT**

To Revenue	\$98.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$98.00

**IMPROVEMENT OF PINE STREET LOT**

To Revenue	\$120.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$120.00

**CULVERT REPAIRS — PLOUGHED NECK ROAD**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$4,500.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$4,500.00

**ROAD TAKINGS — JUNIPER HILL**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING FAUNCE MOUNTAIN & MORGAN TRAIL**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — JUNE AND IDA LANES**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — TURTLE COVE ROAD,  
WEE HEATHER WAY & BURNING TREE LANE**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — SAMOSET ROAD,  
THUMPERTOWN ROAD, SHADY OAK LANE**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — CHIPMAN ROAD**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — CROWELL ROAD**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — KIAH'S WAY**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — HERRING RUN**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**GEARY AHONEN — CAHOON PROPERTY PURCHASES**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,900.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,900.00

**DUNBAR PURCHASE**

Dunbar Purchase	\$121,500.00
Appropriation	\$121,500.00

**MT. HOPE CEMETERY WALL**

To Revenue	\$494.23
Balance July 1, 1974	\$494.23

**THORNTON W. BURGESS CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Supplies	\$3,225.21	
Misc. Items	2,715.17	
Telephone	54.70	
Equipment	10.00	
Savings	79.19	
	<hr/>	\$6,084.27
Balance	\$34.27	
Appropriation	5,000.00	
Reserve	1,050.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,084.27

**BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Supplies	\$2,892.63	
Bands & Militia	594.00	
Telephone	5.00	
Flags and Clothing	607.26	
Patriot Players	210.00	
Bus Drivers	22.00	
Signs	143.00	
Photos, Montage Painting, Slides	448.70	
Clerical	24.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	53.41	
	<hr/>	\$5,000.00
Appropriation		\$5,000.00

**PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE  
(Homemaker Service)**

Homemaker Service	\$2,347.10
Reserve	\$2,347.10

**POLICE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Disbursements	\$1,273.45	
Balance June 30, 1975	37.12	
	<hr/>	\$1,310.57
Transferred Revenue Sharing Fund		\$1,310.57

**DUMP TRUCK PURCHASE**

Dump Truck (Sander)	\$4,837.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	13,663.00	
	<hr/>	\$18,500.00
Appropriation		\$18,500.00

**FIRE CHIEF'S STATION WAGON**

Station Wagon Purchase	\$5,488.62	
Balance June 30, 1975	11.38	
	<hr/>	\$5,500.00
Appropriation		\$5,500.00

**POLICE STATION LANDSCAPING**

Landscaping		\$1,300.00
Appropriation		\$1,300.00

**TOWN HALL STUDY COMMITTEE**

Balance June 30, 1975		\$2,000.00
Appropriation		\$2,000.00

**DUNBAR PROPERTY STUDY**

Balance June 30, 1975		\$5,000.00
Appropriation		\$5,000.00

**ELDRED HOUSE RESTORATION**

Architect Fees	\$1,605.00	
Contractor	8,795.00	
Advertising	54.00	
Balance June 30, 1975	15,410.00	
	<hr/>	\$25,864.00
Appropriation	\$23,000.00	
Reserve	2,864.00	
	<hr/>	\$25,864.00

**FIRE STATION BUILDING COMMITTEE**

Architect Fees	\$4,938.19
Contractor	59,668.91
Insurance	263.00



Equipment	268.88	
Balance June 30, 1975	3,861.02	
	<hr/>	\$69,000.00
Appropriation		\$69,000.00

**COUNTY LAND DAMAGES**

Land Damages Chase & Great Hill Rd.		\$1,372.00
Appropriation		\$1,372.00

**COUNCIL ON AGING**

Meeting Expense	\$99.07	
Food Supplies	669.95	
Office & Craft Supplies	471.08	
Equipment/Equip. Repairs	828.64	
Telephone & Ansa Service	287.68	
Director	1,514.00	
Bus Drivers	395.80	
Mileage	78.56	
Chair Caning	97.50	
Art Classes	590.00	
Advertising	355.42	
Upper Cape School Lunch Program	3.50	
Dues	10.00	
Entertainment	253.00	
To Revenue	1,345.80	
Balance State Grant	1,466.75	
	<hr/>	\$8,466.75
Appropriation	\$7,000.00	
Balance July 1, 1974	1,466.75	
	<hr/>	\$8,466.75

**CAPE COD MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION**

Cape Cod Mental Health Association	\$1,097.00
Appropriation	\$1,097.00

**CAPE-ISLANDS HOME CARE INC.**

Cape-Islands Home Care	\$500.00
Appropriation	\$500.00

**ADVISORY LANDSCAPE COUNCIL**

Trees	\$49.50	
Balance June 30, 1975	3,007.73	
	<hr/>	\$3,057.23
Balance July 1, 1974		\$3,057.23

**ROAD TAKING — LAKEWOOD DRIVE**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING — MOODY DRIVE**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ROAD TAKING  
FREEDOM AND FRIENDLY ROADS**

To Revenue	\$5.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$5.00

**ENGINEERING STUDY — SUB-SURFACE DRAINAGE  
(Sandwich Beach Shores)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$2,000.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$2,000.00

**TOWN NECK DRAINAGE**

Contractor Payments	\$441,318.70	
Balance June 30, 1975	60,681.30	
	<hr/>	\$502,000.00
Appropriation	\$102,000.00	
Loan Proceeds	400,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$502,000.00

**HIGHWAYS DEPT. RADIOS**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$3,700.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$3,700.00

**AMBULANCE PURCHASE**

Balance June 30, 1975		\$23,000.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$2,900.00	
Transferred—Donations	2,100.00	
Transferred Surplus Revenue	18,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$23,000.00

**BRUSH BREAKER TANKER CONVERSION**

Supplies	\$146.37	
Equipment	587.85	
Maintenance	263.75	
	<hr/>	\$997.97
Balance July 1, 1974		\$997.97

**CONSERVATION — SOIL SURVEY**

Soil Survey Service	\$7,814.00
Appropriation	\$7,814.00

**FUTURE LAND PURCHASE FUND**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$1,300.00
Balance July 1, 1974	\$1,300.00

**CONSERVATION LAND PURCHASE — RIDGE DISTRICT**

Land Purchase	\$105,000.00
Appropriation	\$5,000.00
Loan Proceeds	\$100,000.00
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	\$105,000.00

**RYDER PROPERTY PURCHASE**

Ryder Property Purchase	\$1,355,500.00
Appropriation	\$42,500.00
Loan Proceeds	1,313,000.00
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	\$1,355,500.00

**RYDER PROPERTY REIMBURSEMENTS**

Funds on Deposit for	
Payment of Loan	\$1,305,500.00
Balance June 30, 1975	3,558.54
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	\$1,309,058.54
Federal Reimbursement	\$772,017.54
State Reimbursement	386,125.00
Balance July 1, 1974—Town	150,916.00
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	\$1,309,058.54

**RYDER PROPERTY IMPROVEMENT**

Repairs	\$1,986.56
Labor & Equipment	2,930.50
Bulldozer & Truck Work	816.50
Balance June 30, 1975	74,266.44
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	\$80,000.00
Appropriation	\$80,000.00

**SWAIN LAND PURCHASE****(Briar Patch)**

Land Purchase	\$195,000.00
Surveying Fees	3,880.00
Balance June 30, 1975	1,120.00
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	\$200,000.00
Appropriation	\$200,000.00

**COMMUNITY SCHOOL**

Advertising	\$133.94	
Supplies	45.65	
Balance June 30, 1975	25,390.41	
	<hr/>	\$25,570.00
Appropriation		\$25,570.00

**SANDY NECK BEACH PRIVILEGES**

Balance June 30, 1975		\$6,500.00
Transferred Surplus Revenue	\$2,500.00	
Transferred Bch. Parking Receipts	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,500.00

**DRAINAGE EASEMENTS  
QUAKER MEETING HOUSE ROAD**

Drainage Easements		\$1,000.00
Reserve		\$1,000.00

**1975 STATE CENSUS**

Census Taking		\$1,883.50
Reserve		\$1,883.50

**CEMETERIES**

Labor	\$2,006.00	
Care of Lots	80.00	
Maintenance	185.00	
Restoring	5,000.00	
Equipment	747.45	
To Revenue	1,231.55	
Deposits of Dividends	513.68	
	<hr/>	\$9,763.68
Appropriation	\$9,250.00	
Perpetual Care Income	513.68	
	<hr/>	\$9,763.68

**DEBT****(Loan Principal)**

School Loans	\$75,000.00	
Transferred to F.Y. 1976 Sch. Loan	625,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$700,000.00
Appropriation		\$700,000.00



**LOAN PRINCIPAL****(Reserved for School Loan Payment FY 1976)**

Balance June 30, 1975	\$625,000.00
Appropriation May 5, 1975	\$625,000.00

**INTEREST**

School Loan 1958	\$4,050.00	
School Loan 1963	13,950.00	
School Loan—Temporary Notes	344,419.94	
Ryder Property Loan	15,976.73	
Conservation Land Purchase & Drainage Loan	18,125.00	
To Revenue	244,847.35	
	<hr/>	\$641,369.02
Appropriation	\$639,000.00	
Refund	2,369.02	
	<hr/>	\$641,369.02

## TOWN OF SANDWICH

Balance Sheet — June 30, 1975

## GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash — General	\$440,066.18	Temporary Loans — Anticipation of School Loan	\$8,580,000.00
Cash — Otis Trust Fund	821,602.00	Revenue Sharing — P.L. 92-512	239,977.44
Savings Account	47,062.52	Group Insurance Withholdings	9.28
Special Savings — Revenue Sharing	239,977.44	Tailings — Unclaimed Checks	947.14
Investment General Cash	1,586,125.00	Trust Fund Income:	
Temporary Loan Proceeds — Sch. Const.	69,175.62	Wm. Eaton — Needy Poor Library	\$229.35
Municipal Bond Proceeds	60,681.30	Wm. Harrison School Fund	2,329.74
Underestimates — 1974 Assessments:			4,000.00
Air Pollution	87.54	Federal Grants:	
		School:	
		Public Law 8910	\$65.07
		Public Law 81-874	45,996.54
		Public Law 85-864	24.25
		Revolving Funds:	
		School Lunch	\$4,507.26
		School Athletics	1.36
		Appropriation Balances:	
		Revenue — General	4,508.62
		Taxes in Litigation	1,449,409.12







## Treasurer's Report

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### GENERAL CASH SUMMARY

Cash Balance June 30, 1974	\$818,333.75
Receipts — 7-1-74 - 6-30-75	+44,798,812.09
Disbursements — 7-1-74 - 6-30-75	-45,047,222.74

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Cash Balance — 6-30-75	\$569,923.10
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Check Book Balance	\$440,066.18
School Construction	69,175.62
Town Neck Drainage	60,681.30
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	\$569,923.10

*Bank Statement Call 7/6/75  
186,748.78  
July 11  
185,183.78*

Money in Banks — July 1, 1974	\$144,442.93
Deposits	
Interest Earned	+2,619.59
Withdrawals	-100,000.00

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\$47,062.52

General Town Check Book Balance	\$440,066.18
School Construction Projects	69,175.62
Municipal Purpose Loan—Town Neck Drainage— Conservation Land Purchase	60,681.30
Federal Revenue Sharing Proceeds	239,977.44
Otis Task Force Funds, Federal Reimbursement	821,602.00
Town Funds Invested— Certificates of Deposit	1,586,125.00
General Cash in Banks	47,062.52
Cash on Hand	100.00

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Total Town Funds — 6-30-75	\$3,264,790.06
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**TAX TITLE ACCOUNT  
TOWN OF SANDWICH  
1-1-74 - 6-30-75**

Balance January 1, 1974		\$7,468.38
<b>Taxes Added</b>		
1969	\$201.60	
1970	268.80	
1971	297.60	
1972	666.00	
1973	774.00	
1974	1,416.95	
	<hr/>	+3,624.95
Interests and Costs on Tax Titles		+556.85
Redemptions		-133.95
Foreclosed by Land Court		-2,004.07
Disclaimed		-1,813.04
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Balance June 30, 1975		\$7,699.12

**TAX TITLE ACCOUNT  
SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT  
1-1-74 - 6-30-75**

Balance January 1, 1974		\$1.53
<b>Taxes Added</b>		
1972	\$26.00	
1973	27.04	
1974	11.77	
	<hr/>	+64.81
Interests and Costs on Tax Titles		+ 6.71
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Balance June 30, 1975		\$73.05

**TAX TITLE ACCOUNT  
NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
1-1-74 - 6-30-75**

Balance January 1, 1974		\$28.54
<b>Taxes Added</b>		
1974	\$1.38	
	<hr/>	+1.38
Foreclosed by Land Court		-29.92
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Balance June 30, 1975		None

## CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

1-1-74 - 12-31-75

	Bal. 1-1-74	Income 1974-75	With- drawals 1974-75	Deposits 1974-75	Bal. 12-31-75
da Hamblin	\$358.28	\$40.43	\$30.00		\$368.71
Villiam H. Shepardson	154.08	16.87	18.00		152.95
Edward S. Talbot	103.78	11.52	10.00		105.30
Luella L. Moores	104.02	11.55	13.00		102.57
Dr. D. B. Hannon	102.42	11.36	10.00		103.78
Ving & Tobey	1,276.54	141.33	155.00		1,262.87
Aucy Irons	173.70	19.52	15.00		178.22
da L. W. Pratt	102.73	11.40	10.00		104.13
Marriett Faunce	449.38	50.42			499.80
William Eaton	1,567.34	176.05			1,743.39
Lary F. Pope	424.35	47.64			471.99
Brinda Burpee	170.70	19.11			189.81
Allen Family	695.27	78.06			773.33
Charles L. Buckley	114.21	12.86			127.07
Charles Nye	301.00	33.75			334.75
William E. Kern	167.61	18.76			186.37
Grace W. Irwin	554.29	62.25			616.54
Hitz & Harlow	2,964.20	257.28	240.00		2,981.48
John H. Stone	407.42	45.54	45.00		407.96
Dele Sturgess	511.85	57.21	50.00		519.06
da M. French	307.64	34.36	35.00		307.00
Russell E. Tupper	301.60	34.08	10.00		325.68
elia Clay	213.69	24.29			237.98
Frank W. Tobey	706.32	80.44			786.76
Annie T. Nye	496.54	57.97		\$20.00	574.51
Lary Malue	528.34	61.49		20.00	609.83
Benjamin R. Pollock	418.79	46.16	50.00		414.95
William F. Dennison	304.97	33.54	30.00		308.51
Benjamin G. Bartley	321.67	34.97	50.00		306.64
Kiffe Lot	518.22	57.08	45.00		530.30
Aumgartner Lot	153.94	16.89	16.00		154.83
Barbara Dow	875.31	98.26			973.57
Ester Parker	100.00	34.74	34.74		100.00
Lope Holway	313.17	35.00	40.00		308.17
J. J. Harmon	311.20	34.75	35.00		310.95
Jeremiah Daley	169.41	19.24			188.65
za Foster	524.20	58.82	40.00		543.02
Hibbs-Hoxie Lot	209.82	23.52	20.00		213.34
Eona Farrell	208.30	22.90	25.00		206.20
Lamlen Family	208.30	22.90	25.00		206.20
Ernest & Eliz. VanBuskirk	316.85	35.09	35.00		316.94
Andrew & Viola DeGraw	521.27	57.64	45.00		533.91
Enoit Lot	206.23	22.68	20.00		208.91
William A. Winsor	255.57	28.22	20.00		263.79
	\$19,194.52	\$2,097.94	\$1,171.74	\$40.00	\$20,160.72

**MT. HOPE CEMETERY  
PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS**

**1-1-74 - 12-31-75**

	Bal. 1-1-74	Income 1-1-74 12-31-75	With- drawals	Div. Dep. in Sav. Acct.	Bal. 12-31-75
John A. Carlson	\$171.19	\$21.30		\$20.00	\$212.49
Harriet L. Hoxie	171.97	21.41		20.00	213.38
Milton B. Kerr	75.63	10.74		20.00	106.37
Eliza A. Howard	71.32	10.24		20.00	101.56
Harriet A. Parks	172.12	21.42		20.00	213.54
Theodore L. Southack	70.66	10.19		20.00	100.85
Silsby Lot	370.00	43.76		20.00	433.76
Ebenezer Chamberlain	361.47	42.81		20.00	424.28
Annie W. Chamberlain	361.47	42.81		20.00	424.28
Charles H. Chapouil	69.34	10.03		20.00	99.37
Sears-Nye Lot	361.47	42.81		20.00	424.28
George W. Harrison	361.47	42.81		20.00	424.28
Zabad Burgess	90.24	9.96			100.20
George Crocker	91.77	10.25			102.02
Boyden Lot	88.93	10.08			99.01
Louisa B. Hobson	69.67	7.93			77.60
Caroline E. Crocker	273.91	30.77			304.68
Stimpson Lot	174.79	19.56			194.35
Est. of Wallace S. Morrow, Sr.	122.99	15.96		20.00	158.95
Mt. Hope Cemetery Corp. Savings Account	1,303.04	*319.41			1,622.45
	<u>\$4,833.45</u>	<u>\$744.25</u>		<u>\$260.00</u>	<u>\$5,837.70</u>
Thomas H. Chipman	200.00	22.48		*22.48	200.00
John H. Perry	200.00	22.48		*22.48	200.00
Mary E. Fish	200.00	22.48		*22.48	200.00
Minnie & Edith Jones	200.00	22.48		*22.48	200.00
Ralph C. Rich	200.00	22.48		*22.48	200.00
	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	<u>\$112.40</u>		<u>\$112.40</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
Grand Total	\$5,833.45	\$744.25		\$260.00	\$6,837.70

\* Dividends deposited in Mt. Hope Cemetery Corp. Savings Account.

**FREEMAN CEMETERY FUND**

**1-1-74 - 12-31-75**

Savings Account	\$1,757.79	\$241.67	\$1,999.46
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# **TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS IN CUSTODY OF TOWN TREASURER**

**1-1-74 - 12-31-75**

	Bal. 1-1-74	Income 1974-75	Withdrawals 1974-75	Bal. 12-31-75
<b>School Funds</b>				
Sandwich Academy	\$797.69	\$89.62		\$887.31
Alvah W. Holway	2,307.48	244.67	\$1,100.00	1,452.15
Hannah B. Belcher	2,319.50	325.01	200.00	2,444.51
Mary C. Baker	28,839.90	4,104.47	3,600.00	29,344.37
George R. Wing (Sandwich Tennis Club)	5,421.79	751.60	850.00	5,323.39
George R. Meigs	217.92	24.41		242.33
Elizabeth T. VanBuskirk	4,189.35	646.45	100.00	4,735.80
William M. Harrison (New Fund—1975)	5,000.00	129.30		5,129.30
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	\$49,093.63	\$6,315.53	\$5,850.00	\$49,559.16
<b>Sandwich Library Funds</b>				
William Brewster	\$7,000.00	\$1,077.57		\$8,077.57
Eva M. Converse	300.00	33.68		333.68
Mary I. Freeman	3,000.00	425.84		3,425.84
Alvah W. Holway	1,000.00	141.90		1,141.90
Susan F. Hoxie	5,600.00	862.14		6,462.14
Abbie F. Nye	500.00	56.35		556.35
Caroline Crocker	50,000.00	7,897.11		57,897.11
Thornton W. Burgess (New—1975)	5,000.00	55.74	\$448.00	4,607.74
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	\$72,400.00	\$10,550.33	\$448.00	\$82,502.33
<b>Miscellaneous Funds</b>				
Nye Monument	\$427.86	\$48.02		\$475.88
Mary I. Freeman, Nursing	1,000.00	138.20	\$138.20	1,000.00
Post War Rehabil. Fund	247.71	28.16		275.87
Lots 451 & 452 Dillingham Ave.	2,300.63	350.94		2,651.57
Dr. Samuel M. Beale, Jr.	7,268.83	920.34		8,189.17
Raymond Hamblin Boy Scout	692.75	77.75		770.50
Tupper Family	804.49	90.31		894.80
*Stab. Fund—Existing	2,079.84	233.62		2,313.46
*1975 Addition to Stab. Fund—8-9-75	500,000.00	11,875.00 (as of 1-9-76)		511,875.00
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	\$514,822.11	\$13,762.34	\$138.20	\$528,446.25
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$636,315.74</b>	<b>\$30,628.20</b>	<b>\$6,436.20</b>	<b>\$660,507.74</b>

**HOXIE HOUSE****Income at House**

	Special Tour	\$60.00
4254	Adult Tickets @ .50	2,127.00
2006	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .50	1,003.00
326	Minor Tickets @ .35	114.10
155	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .35	54.25

**Comb. Tickets Sold at Mill**

5031	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .50	2,515.50
293	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .40	117.20
	Post Cards, etc.	348.05

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Total Income	\$6,339.10
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Total Tickets Sold	6,801
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**GRIST MILL****Income at Mill**

3669	Adult Tickets @ .75	\$2,751.75
5031	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .50	2,515.50
355	Minor Tickets @ .50	177.50
293	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .35	102.55

**Comb. Tickets Sold at House**

2006	Adult Comb. Tickets @ .50	1,003.00
155	Minor Comb. Tickets @ .40	62.00
	Post Cards, etc.	278.70
	Sale of Corn Meal	5,286.80

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Total Income	12,177.80
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Total Tickets Sold	9,348
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Combined Income and Tickets Sold	\$18,516.90	16,149
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Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE

Treasurer

# Report of the Collector of Taxes

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**January 1, 1975 — June 30, 1975**

## **1971 EXCISE TAXES**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$85.71
Collected	\$43.91
Outstanding June 30, 1975	41.80
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	\$85.71

## **1972 EXCISE TAXES**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$904.93
Paid After Abatement	11.00
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	\$915.93
Collected	\$61.00
Outstanding June 30, 1975	854.93
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	\$915.93

## **1973 EXCISE TAXES**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$13,437.53
Committed	11,342.14
Refunded	270.88
Paid After Abatement	16.50
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	\$25,067.05
Collected	\$9,883.91
Abated	5,529.27
Outstanding June 30, 1975	9,653.87
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	\$25,067.05

## **1974 EXCISE TAXES**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$81,453.66
Committed	34,474.17
Refunded	1,399.33
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	\$117,327.16

Collected	\$77,074.11
Abated	14,207.22
Outstanding June 30, 1975	26,045.83
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	\$117,327.16

#### 1975 EXCISE TAXES

Committed	\$123,837.58
Refunded	342.88
Paid After Abatement	42.90
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	\$124,223.36
Collected	\$68,932.57
Abated	9,190.28
Outstanding June 30, 1975	46,100.51
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	\$124,223.36

#### 1973 TOWN PERSONAL PROPERTY

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$287.97
Collected	\$10.00
Outstanding June 30, 1975	277.97
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	\$287.97

#### 1974 TOWN PERSONAL PROPERTY

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$467.50
Collected	\$38.25
Outstanding June 30, 1975	429.25
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	\$467.50

#### 1975 TOWN PERSONAL PROPERTY

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$65,100.45
Refunded	49.00
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	\$65,149.45
Collected	\$60,176.20
Outstanding June 30, 1975	4,973.25
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	\$65,149.45



**1972 TOWN REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$224.93
Collected	\$224.93

**1973 TOWN REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$6,687.98
Collected	\$754.05
Outstanding June 30, 1975	5,933.93
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	\$6,687.98

**1974 TOWN REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$18,202.41
Refunded	17.00
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	\$18,219.41
Collected	\$5,938.10
Abated	17.00
Outstanding June 30, 1975	12,264.31
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	\$18,219.41

**1975 TOWN REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$1,930,636.54
Refunded	2,495.12
To Be Refunded	362.33
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	\$1,933,493.99
Collected	\$1,806,213.31
Abated	380.80
Outstanding June 30, 1975	126,899.88
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	\$1,933,493.99

**1973 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT PERSONAL**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$2.08
Collected	\$2.08

**1974 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT PERSONAL**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$59.40
Collected	\$2.31
Outstanding June 30, 1975	57.09
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	\$59.40

**1975 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT PERSONAL**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$2,346.37
Refunded	1.82
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	\$2,348.19
Collected	\$1,955.33
Outstanding June 30, 1975	392.86
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	\$2,348.19

**1973 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$693.94
Collected	\$342.42
Outstanding June 30, 1975	351.52
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	\$693.94

**1974 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$774.53
Collected	\$98.78
Outstanding June 30, 1975	675.75
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	\$774.53

**1975 SANDWICH WATER DISTRICT REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$125,772.47
Refunded	283.14
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	\$126,055.61
Collected	\$120,527.10
Abated	162.24
Outstanding June 30, 1975	5,366.27
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	\$126,055.61

**1974 NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
PERSONAL**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$1.73
Outstanding June 30, 1974	\$1.73

**1975 NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
PERSONAL**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$138.26
Collected	\$137.64
Outstanding June 30, 1975	.62
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	\$138.26

**1974 NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$10.24
Outstanding June 30, 1975	\$10.24

**1975 NORTH SAGAMORE WATER DISTRICT  
REAL ESTATE**

Outstanding December 31, 1974	\$2,921.87
Collected	\$2,847.75
Outstanding June 30, 1975	74.12
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	\$2,921.87

Respectfully submitted,

**CHANNING E. HOXIE**  
Tax Collector

## Town Clerk's Report

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### BIRTHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH FOR THE YEAR — 1975

#### January:

- 13 Jess Earl Comolli, son to John Earl Comolli and Linda Ann (Moro)
- 21 Christina Elizabeth Anderson, daughter to Mark Ralph Anderson and Patricia Marie (Collier)
- 30 Jennifer Kim DiMaria, daughter to Frank Gerald DiMaria and Chong (Suk)
- 31 Matthew Robert Day, son to Stephen Gage Day and Patricia Ruth (Bennett)

#### February:

- 13 Philip Carleton Kozar, II, son to Philip Carleton Kozar and Maryellen (Hiltz)
- 16 Beverly Fay Smith, daughter to Dwight Eugene Smith and Narda Sue (Dudley)
- 20 Ryan Patrick O'Keefe, son to Peter Randolph O'Keefe and Susan Irene (McLaughlin)
- 21 Daniel Frank Ferrari, son to David Bruce Ferrari, Sr. and Susan Ann (Drew)

#### March:

- 2 Matthew Scott Crocker, son to Richard Alvan Crocker and Patricia Grace (Crosby)
- 9 Danielle O'Connell, daughter to David Francis O'Connell and Esther Ann (Jonasson)
- 17 Shawn Lawrence Rice, son to Frank Roy Rice and Linda Sue (Klaassen)
- 19 Hilary Harrington Forth, daughter to Ronald Irving Forth and Daryl Jeanne (Young) (Twin)
- 19 Heather McKendrie Forth, daughter to Ronald Irving Forth and Daryl Jeanne (Young) (Twin)
- 19 Kelly Marie Hoxie, daughter to Edward Warren Hoxie, Jr. and Jean Marie (George)
- 24 Jenney Anne Duchesney, daughter to Kenneth Holway Duchesney and Anna Pearl (Cobb)



**April:**

- 8 Christopher Michael Arthur, son to John Myrick Arthur and Elizabeth (Greer)
- 9 Jeffrey Dale Butland, son to Dale Donald Butland and Susan Kathleen (Jones)
- 12 Elizabeth Marie Pinault, daughter to Rene Joseph Henry Pinault and Janet Louise (Wildman)
- 14 Matthew Joseph Cronin, son to Thomas George Cronin, Jr. and Kathleen Patricia (Crimmins)
- 14 Shauna Jean Thayer, daughter to Richard Lee Thayer and Deborah Elizabeth (Webster)
- 15 Amie Gail Gibbs, daughter to Alvin Wallace Gibbs and Grace Evelyn (Earle)
- 15 Kathryn Tirrell D'Elia, daughter to Arthur Joseph D'Elia, Jr. and Paulette Anne (Norton)
- 17 Ryan Jay Swift, son to James Robert Swift and Sandra Ann (Tomasek)
- 26 John-David Garcia Gaffney, son to James Lester Gaffney and Gloria Jean (Vila)
- 28 Jeffrey Michael Carr, son to Robert Augustus Carr and Dianne Frances (Doucette)
- 29 Phillip James Morson Kingsbury, son to Allan Compton Kingsbury, Sr. and Eleanor Jean (Gillis)

**May:**

- 1 Matthew Kirwan Mohan, son to James William Mohan and Mary Elaine (Locke)
- 1 Gerald Atwood Downing, Jr., son to Gerald Atwood Downing and Gertrude May (Upton)
- 2 Benjamin Allen Poole, son to Richard John Poole and Dorothy Jean (Crowe)
- 12 Patrick Michael McKeon, son to John Stephen McKeon and Deborah Jo (Parker)
- 18 Darren Alexander McDonald, son to Robert Alexander McDonald and Geraldine Rose (Alberti)
- 19 Dennis Michael Waitekunas, Jr., son to Dennis Michael Waitekunas and Linda Rose (Stratoti)
- 20 Andrew John Cormier, son to Raymond Joseph Cormier and Mary Rita (Doherty)
- 21 Adam Foster Branch, son to Jonathan Winslow Branch and Donna Gail (Albro)
- 28 Marc DeNofrio, son to Michael James DeNofrio, Jr. and Carol Ann (Ternullo)

**June:**

- 2 Sean Mathew Tedeschi, son to Silvio Tedeschi and Linda Jean (Wilson)
- 3 Sarah Lyn Raposa, daughter to Donald Francis Raposa and Janice Ann (Smith)
- 24 Amy Beth Eldridge, daughter to Norman William Eldridge and Nancy Ellen (Hokanson)
- 29 Michelle Lynn Pelletier, daughter to Stephen Michael Pelletier and Christine Ann (Minahan)
- 30 Nina Daune Rideout, daughter to Clifton Gillis Rideout and Sharon Louise (Judson)

**July:**

- 2 Karl David Thulin, son to David Charles Thulin and Mary Lois (Schubauer)
- 18 Timothy James Dunn, son to Richard Allen Dunn and Wendy Ann (Arnold)
- 18 Benjamin David Fleet, son to Donald James Fleet and Nancy Ann (Schlaegel)
- 18 Douglas Hugo Spofford, son to James Roger Spofford and Marie Frances (Adams)
- 20 Dwight James Dougherty, son to David Anthony Dougherty and Donna Louise (LaFlamme)
- 23 Angela Jeanne Hagstrom, daughter to Donald Edward Hagstrom and Laura Elizabeth (Chimienti)
- 30 Jennifer Elaine Lee, daughter to Andrew Miller Lake Lee, III and Sandra Elaine (Mooney)

**August:**

- 3 Kristen Mari Grabowski, daughter to David Paul Grabowski and Dawn Arleen (Cable)
- 3 Melissa Marie Gelinas, daughter to David Joseph Gelinas, Sr. and Elizabeth Ann (Mullaney)
- 14 Jessica Jean Hebditch, daughter to Randall Edwin Hebditch and Laurie Jean (Fellows)
- 15 Brian Robert Fitzpatrick, son to Robert John Fitzpatrick and Sharon Lee (Blackburn)
- 27 Jennifer Rebecca Burke, daughter to David Lee Burke and Kathy Ellen (Richardson)
- 29 Paul Murphy Silva, son to Stephen Arthur Silva and Diane Marie (Marsolais)

**September:**

- 1 Stephen Braconi, son to Stephen Joseph Braconi and Nathanelle Ann (Mainiero)

**September:**

- 7 Ernest Jason Thompson, son to Ernest Howard Thompson and Deborah Lee (Norton)
- 11 John Paul MacQuade, son to John MacQuade and Sandra Jean (McDonnell)
- 24 Brian Jeffrey Hathaway, son to Jeffrey George Hathaway and Gretchen Mary (Knehr)
- 28 Olivia Ann Fournier, daughter to Robert Joseph Fournier and Wendy Anne (McKee)
- 28 James John McCabe, son to James Charles McCabe and Michele Patricia (Patti)
- 29 Edward Louis Bianco, son to Louis John Bianco and Susan Dorothy (Bevilacqua)

**October:**

- 14 Kevin William Lehmann, son to Keith Frederick Lehmann and Brenda Louise (Jones)
- 15 Jacob Thomas Denaro, son to John Thomas Denaro and Carol Ann (Hackett)
- 17 Michael William Lemieux, son to William Francis Lemieux and Mary Elaine (Addesa)
- 28 Bethany Jan Hyde, daughter to David Egbert Hyde and Marilyn Margaret (Dowd)

**November:**

- 4 Christopher Troy Milam, son to James William Milam and Julie Ann (Oliver)
- 5 Robert Michael Correia, son to Dennis Fernando Correia and Rita Hughenia (MacAulay)
- 7 Jeffrey Scott Perkins, son to John Rodney Perkins and Rita Helen (Pedranti)
- 7 Meggen Parece, daughter to Paul Joseph Parece and Susan Marie (Aulisio)
- 8 Tabitha Lee Pierce, daughter to Daniel Lee Pierce and Willana Rose (Smith)
- 13 Holly Jean Melvin, daughter to Kenneth Wayne Melvin and Deborah Louise (Plotczyk)
- 15 Michael David Andersen, son to Martin Donald Andersen and Susan Marie (Riley)
- 27 Heather Ann McEachen, daughter to Philip Thomas McEachen and Mary Alice (Devine)
- 29 Kevin Patrick McLaughlin, II, son to Kevin Patrick McLaughlin and Karen Ann (Anderson)

**December:**

- 4 Michael Stephen Landers, son to Stephen John Landers and Paula Dawn (Gentry)
  - 24 Jennifer Ann Harding, daughter to James Francis Harding and Catherine Ann (Crane)
  - 30 Daniel James Newman, son to David William Newman and Gloria Elaine (Myers)
  - 30 Elizabeth Georgia O'Connell, daughter to William Francis O'Connell, Jr. and Hazel Ann (LaFond)
  - 31 Hope Marie Files, daughter to Russell John Files and Beverly Ann (Hill)
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**LATE RETURN — 1974****September:**

- 9 Christopher Bryan Harper, son to Bruce George Harper and Sharon Marie (Coppi)



## MARRIAGES RECORDED IN SANDWICH FOR THE YEAR — 1975

### January:

- 1 James J. George of Sandwich, Mass. and Ferne E. Davis of Yarmouthport, Mass.
- 11 Edward W. Wilkes of Stoneham, Mass. and Mary M. Williams of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 25 William Henry Russell III of Sandwich, Mass. and Karen Ann Zentz of Sandwich, Mass.

### February:

- 7 Russell Norman Hurst of Sandwich, Mass. and Virginia E. Tokarz (Baptist) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 14 Richard K. Gross of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Odette E. Ahern (LeMarbre) of Yarmouth, Mass.
- 14 Marcel L. DesVergnes of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass. and Nancy H. Anderson of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass.
- 14 Robert P. Trottier of Dorchester, Mass. and Anne L. Ross of (South) Sandwich, Mass.
- 15 Joseph Alves III of Barnstable, Mass. and Pamela Jean Brandford of Barnstable, Mass.
- 15 Bernard J. Jezierski of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Donna T. Bianchi of Plymouth, Mass.
- 16 Robert A. Schoenfeld of Dennis, Mass. and Wendolyn Eaton of Dennis, Mass.
- 22 John A. Champ of Norwell, Mass. and Patricia A. Rundin of Sandwich, Mass.
- 28 Frederick W. Young of Sandwich, Mass. and Mary Elvi Cibotti (Salomaa) of Sandwich, Mass.

### March:

- 10 Michael Page of Sandwich, Mass. and Judith E. Clay of Sandwich, Mass.
- 27 Sherwood Monroe of West Wareham, Mass. and Kathleen Ann Cropper of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 29 Richard A. Fraser of (West) Yarmouth, Mass. and Marian C. Baldwin (Coates) of (West) Yarmouth, Mass.

### April:

- 5 Daniel Edward Donovan of Sagamore Beach, Mass. and Maureen McCarthy of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass.

**May:**

- 3 Thomas C. Hook of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania and Kristina A. Williams (Kestenbaum) of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
- 10 Charles L. Dustow of Annandale, N.J. and Margot Leslie (Ellinghaus) of Milton, Mass.
- 15 Edward Eardley of Harwich, Mass. and Annie Pagliarani (Hamblin) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 23 Fritz Allan Hampe, Sr. of West Newton, Mass. and Ellen McKinnis (Chapman) of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 31 Bruce Alan Reddish of Chatham, Mass. and Gail Lee Ferguson of Barnstable, Mass.

**June:**

- 1 John P. Wood, Jr. of Temple Terrace, Florida and Patricia A. Bishop (Keith) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 1 Richard A. Chandler of Alton, N.H. and Linda E. McBride of Alton, N.H.
- 7 Earl F. Hitchins of (Buzzards Bay) Bourne, Mass. and Joyce Rogers Clifford of Sandwich, Mass.
- 7 Milton Maurice Fiske of (South) Sandwich and Mary J. Pate (Broome) of (South) Sandwich, Mass.
- 14 Robert George Gilfoy of Sandwich and Rebecca Eleanor Burke of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass.
- 14 Michael Joseph Judge of Sandwich, Mass. and Jean E. Hussey of Abington, Mass.
- 19 Donald Edward Hagstrom of Wareham, Mass. and Laura Elizabeth Steigerwald (Chimienti) of Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 David M. Dickson of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Evelyn M. Tully of Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 Frank William Bell of Springfield, Mass. and Pauline Mathewson (Grideley) of Chicopee, Mass.
- 27 Clyde Henry Babbitt of Foxboro, Mass. and Elizabeth Ellen McAuliffe of Foxboro, Mass.
- 28 Edward Dennis Mahoney of (Marstons Mills) Barnstable, Mass. and Mary Elizabeth Mitchell of (Marstons Mills) Barnstable, Mass.
- 28 Randall W. Kreutel, Jr. of Gaithersburg, Maryland and Alice Jean Reiser (Guillory) of Rockville, Maryland

**July:**

- 5 Daniel H. Fish of Lexington, Kentucky and Judith E. Johnson of Lexington, Kentucky
- 9 Bruce H. Heinicke of Chicopee, Mass. and Barbara Ann R. Mayer (Sheehan) of Chicopee, Mass.

**July:**

- 12 Lee R. Clifford of (Centerville) Barnstable, Mass. and Marilyn A. Gilfoy of Sandwich, Mass.
- 13 Stephen A. Silva of Sandwich, Mass. and Diane Marsolais of Dorchester, Mass.
- 19 Steven Greenwood Lake of Whitman, Mass. and Judith Ann Buchko (Gavaza) of Whitman, Mass.

**August:**

- 1 Robert A. Coffey of Sandwich, Mass. and Corinne Corleis of Sandwich, Mass.
- 2 Warren Smith of Alexandria, Va. and Kathleen Trollinger of Cheverly, Md.
- 2 Stanley A. Torrey, Jr. of (East) Sandwich and Diane Modlin of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 16 Daniel Lynn McMillan of Richardson, Texas and Suzanne Kathryn Fleet of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 16 Albert E. Anderson of Sandwich, Mass. and Yvonne Frosch of Sandwich, Mass.

**September:**

- 2 Robert Edward Brogan, Jr. of South Dennis and Louise E. O'Brien of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 6 Thomas J. Rice, Jr. of Marshfield, Wisconsin and Marilyn J. Crane of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 6 Louis Santos Piano of (Hyannis) Barnstable, Mass. and Thais Ruth Johnson of (Hyannis) Barnstable, Mass.
- 6 Walter P. Bracken of Yarmouth, Mass. and Jo-Anne C. Gangemi of Sandwich, Mass.
- 7 Kent Wesley Hackett of Lawrence, Mass. and Elizabeth Arnold Chatterley of Mashpee, Mass.
- 12 Walter E. Cahoon, Jr. of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Florence Loring Canning of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 13 Harry James Fish, Jr. of (Cotuit) Barnstable, Mass. and Hermine Jones (Bazirgan) of (Cotuit) Barnstable, Mass.
- 13 Edward C. Burke of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Susan A. Clarke of Jaffrey, N.H.
- 13 David Philip Wood of Marion, Mass. and Martha Enida Beauchamp of Marion, Mass.
- 20 Paul Edward Erickson of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass. and Jean Rose Vikjord of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass.
- 21 Edwin C. Gibbs, Jr. of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass. and Pamela D. Page of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass.



**September:**

- 24 David Surdut of Sandwich, Mass. and Kimelissa Balegno of (Sagamore) Bourne, Mass.
- 28 Gerald George Street of Yarmouth, Mass. and Sandra H. James of Yarmouth, Mass.

**October:**

- 4 David John Goulet of Bourne, Mass. and Margaret Scoville Lauder of Bourne, Mass.
- 4 Martin J. Chartier of Keene, N.H. and Phyllis V. Raymond of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 11 Richard Schermerhorn of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Karen Lee Dudgeon of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 17 Thomas Vincent Glaser of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Susan Bishop Terpos of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 18 James Alan Gregory of (Forestdale) Sandwich, Mass. and Eileen F. Moylen (Kelley) of Hyannis, Mass.
- 18 Robert Moniz of Sandwich, Mass. and Cheryl M. Rae of Arlington, Mass.

**November:**

- 1 Richard Louis Marechal of Chicago, Ill. and Jeanne Wynne Landy of Sandwich, Mass.
- 10 John J. Swayser of Trenton, N. J. and Mary Elizabeth Irlen of Trenton, N.J.
- 14 Wilford T. Adams of Sandwich, Mass. and Marie Corrado of Sandwich, Mass.

**December:**

- 3 Avard W. Craig, Jr. of (East) Sandwich, Mass. and Jane Fuller of (East) Sandwich, Mass.
- 16 Richard A. Putnam of Sandwich, Mass. and Cynthia Teresa King of Asheboro, N.C.
- 19 Jeffrey Neal Hughes of Greenfield, Mass. and Karen Marie (Jones) Markoski of Greenfield, Mass.
- 27 Robert Henry Counsell of (Centerville) Barnstable, Mass. and Bessie Marie Rock (Maiellano) of (West) Yarmouth, Mass.



# **DEATHS RECORDED IN SANDWICH FOR THE YEAR — 1975**

		Yrs.	Mos.	Days
<b>January:</b>				
2	Jacinto Mendoza	82	11	7
5	Herbert J. Austin	44	.....	.....
9	George A. Anderson	67	2	26
27	C. Rubena Thompson (Keddy)	73	5	8
<b>February:</b>				
15	Frances Elizabeth MacDonald (Newcomb)	103	10	21
17	Bayard Verguhart Livingston	65	3	1
18	John Edward Pessa	63	3	10
21	Edith Longsdorf Lenihan	62	6	27
<b>March:</b>				
1	Edith Jones (Walton)	71	7	14
2	Carl Barnes	73	6	21
3	Emil Wiitanen	96	6	14
3	Anne G. Berry (McLean)	84	9	1
5	Eleanor C. Dimock (Coy)	63	10	2
7	Isabelle Francis Buckley	89	0	19
8	Peter J. Tottle	54	1	11
<b>April:</b>				
1	Amy D. Garner	94	1	23
2	Charles Francis McManus	78	5	5
2	Nellie Williamson (McLuskie)	96	3	12
7	Alice Marie O'Dowd (Gormlie)	61	3	6
7	Arnaldo Charles Boido	76	10	2
13	Margaret Estelle Burke (Crowell)	61	11	13
26	Robert L. Sullivan	57	8	27
26	Joseph F. Sullivan	15	9	11
26	Daniel J. Blinn	26	7	15
28	Daniel Edward Potter	68	3	0
<b>May:</b>				
7	Horatio Cromack	90	4	13
12	Victor Joseph Klein	82	1	23
20	Dorothy Frances Kinghorn (Chadwick)	67	0	5
23	William J. Sullivan, Jr.	60	5	11
28	Michael Harrison	83	1	18

		Yrs.	Mos.	Days
<b>June:</b>				
4	Jean Raymond (Ross)	85	10	25
16	Winthrop F. Howland	80	5	16
20	Miriam E. Coolbrith (Hyttenen)	57	11	18
22	John Francis Crouch	21	2	17
<b>July:</b>				
4	Mabel G. Fish (Tinkham)	87	8	3
8	John Chevall	79		
14	Malcolm Randell Taber, Sr.	72	2	22
16	Dorothy Blossom (Learned)	67	10	9
17	Mabel Draper (Buckley)	72	7	11
22	Frank Balon	57		
27	Mary Edna Campbell (Clark)	95	4	18
29	Harry E. Kennedy	77	7	12
31	Maria Silva (Affonso)	79	6	30
<b>August:</b>				
3	Jacques O. Myette	54	...	...
6	Irene Garner	85	4	28
7	Elizabeth Smith (Sidders)	85	10	22
7	Isel May Hankla (West)	85	3	23
9	Andrew J. Clemmey	34	0	11
13	Nan McCann (Dorman)	87	3	20
15	Herman Morich	67	6	28
<b>September:</b>				
1	Frederick Allen Bell	54	5	1
21	Frederick W. Heinrichs	76	9	14
<b>October:</b>				
8	Elsie Agnes Koehler (Collins)	90	6	0
15	David William Norton	39	3	27
21	Marino Govoni	74	1	11
29	Edward W. LeClair	76	5	20
<b>November:</b>				
5	Wilfrid Taylor	81	11	27
10	Catherine F. Carleton	88	11	1

**December:**

19	Thomas V. Toohey	62	....	....
21	Frances Jeger (Huckins)	68	10	25
21	Irving Leroy Blackmer	74	11	26

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**DELAYED RETURN — 1974****August:**

7	Ruth Brown	73	...	7
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**DIVISION OF FISHERIES & GAME****1975 Licenses Issued in 1975**

Resident Citizen Fishing	209	@	\$8.25	\$1,724.25
Resident Citizen Hunting	162	@	8.25	1,336.50
Resident Citizen Sporting	86	@	13.50	1,161.00
Resident Cit. Minor Fishing	17	@	6.25	106.25
Non-Res. Cit./Alien Fishing	11	@	14.25	156.75
Non-Res. Cit./Alien 7 Day Fishing	31	@	8.25	255.75
Non-Res. Cit./Alien Hunting	3	@	20.25	60.75
Non-Res. Cit./Alien				
Commercial Shooting	1	@	16.25	16.25
Resident Citizen Minor Trapping	3	@	6.25	18.75
Resident Citizen Trapping	3	@	11.50	34.50
Duplicate Licenses	8	@	1.00	8.00
Resident Citizen Sporting (Free)	53			
Archery Deer Stamps	18	@	5.10	91.80
Mass. Waterfowl Stamps	122	@	1.25	152.50
<b>Totals</b>	<b>727</b>			<b>\$5,123.05</b>
Less Town Clerk's Fees Turned Over to Town				163.80
Remitted to Division of Fisheries & Game				\$4,959.25

**1976 Licenses Issued in 1975**

Resident Citizen Fishing	1	@	\$8.25	\$8.25
Resident Citizen Hunting	8	@	8.25	66.00
Resident Citizen Sporting	12	@	13.50	162.00
Resident Cit./Alien Fishing	1	@	14.25	14.25
Resident Cit./Minor Trapping	1	@	6.25	6.25
Resident Citizen Trapping	1	@	11.50	11.50
Resident Citizen Sporting (Free)	5			
Mass. Waterfowl Stamps	5	@	1.25	6.25
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>			<b>\$274.50</b>
Less Town Clerk's Fees Turned Over to Town				7.25
Remitted to Division of Fisheries & Game				\$267.25



**DOG LICENSES****1974 Dog Licenses Issued in 1975**

13	Male	@	\$3.00	\$39.00
3	Female	@	6.00	18.00
2	Spayed Female	@	3.00	6.00

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18				\$63.00
	Less Town Clerk's Fees Returned to Town			6.30

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	Remitted to County Treasurer			\$56.70
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**1975 Dog Licenses Issued in 1975**

593	Male	@	\$3.00	\$1,779.00
120	Female	@	6.00	720.00
443	Spayed Female	@	3.00	1,329.00
16	Kennel	@	10.00	160.00
1	Kennel	@	25.00	25.00
2	Kennel	@	50.00	100.00

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1,175				\$4,113.00
	Less Town Clerk's Fees Returned to Town			411.25

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	Remitted to County Treasurer			\$3,701.75
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Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk

## Jury List

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Adolfson, Gladys E.	Housewife
Alcorn, Arnold S.	Retired
Anderson, Emily E.	Bank Manager
Backer, Arvid	Retired
Baltusis, Elizabeth A.	Housewife
Benedick, Beatrice S.	Housewife
Birchall, Pamela D.	Clerk
Boudreau, Robert N.	USAF
Bryden, William G.	Real Estate Appraiser
Buck, Harry T.	Salesman
Carlucci, Nancy	Housewife
Carroll, Mary S.	Bookkeeper
Challies, Mary Ellen	LPN
Cox, Helen T.	Housewife
Currier, Paul E.	Mail Carrier
DeCota, Leonard J.	Custodian
Drinkwater, George G.	Self-Employed
Fallgren, Signe M.	Housewife
Fears, Jane	Housewife
Folsom, Linda L.	RN Dr. of Nursing
Fournier, Josephine A.	Housewife
Gagner, Lawrence	At Home
George, Justin W.	Lineman
Gerling, Robert L.	Life Ins. Advisor
Gorden, Morton	Consultant
Govoni, Mary J.	Housewife
Gozdz, Zidmund	Retired
Harding, James F.	Salesman
Hefler, Harold B.	Retired
Hollis, Ralph M. Jr.	Asst. Mgr.
Horriggan, Clement V.	Teacher
Jacobsen, Lillian T.	Housewife
Jones, Barbara P.	Housewife
Leonard, Ruth F.	Housewife
Lovell, Russell A. Jr.	Retired
Mellor, Anthony E.	Broker & Agent
Moore, Daune E.	Housewife
Mulroy, John F.	Retired
Murphy, Anna J.	Retired

Needham, R. Elizabeth	Housewife
O'Brien, Paul H.	Guidance Counc.
Palombo, Paula A.	Housewife
Pfaunz, Rudolph	Retired
Pike, Donald H.	Retired
Pipatti, Onni A.	Maintenance Foreman
Pola, Margaret S.	Housewife
Quirk, Janice C.	Bus Driver
Rasmusson, Evelyn M.	Housewife
Rice, Linda S.	Housewife
Roque, Joseph F.	Contractor
Rossignol, Joseph L.	Carpenter
Rowe, Nancy L.	Bank Clerk
Schmonsees, Charles E.	Retired
Selfridge, Pearl N.	Housewife
Sharp, Ralph D.	Retired
Simpson, Joseph E. Jr.	Retired
Spieldenner, Laurine C.	Housewife
Suller, June E.	School Librarian
Surdat, David	Musician
Swanberg, Charles G.	Used Car Mgr.
Tocchio, E. Michael	Builder
Toohey, Rita C.	Housewife
Townsend, Ethel M.	Housewife
Tucelli, Mary	Candy Factory
Warren, Gloria T.	Housewife
Watson, John	Retired
White, F. Gregory	Carpenter
Wholey, John T.	Retired
Williams, James M.	Carpenter's Helper
Willette, Lois J.	Housewife

# Report of the Annual Town Meeting

Monday, May 5, 1975

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The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by the Moderator, Mr. William A. Bullock.

The Invocation was offered by Father William Morris.

A group in costume from the Bicentennial Committee marched to the front of the auditorium, and Mr. Fred Morey and Mrs. Jane Ellis led the meeting in singing America. Mr. Carl Leino announced that the first Sandwich Bicentennial Parade would be Saturday, July 5, 1975 at 1:00 p.m. He presented on behalf of the Committee, a painting to the Selectmen; the artist, Karen Rinaldo.

The Moderator appointed four tellers for the meeting: Jean Richards, James VanBuskirk, John Ohman and George Crawford.

By unanimous vote the complete reading of the Warrant was dispensed with.

Dr. Ostrander, Chairman of the Finance Committee, introduced the members of the Committee: Messrs. Clifford Nelson, C. Ruggles Smith, Fred W. Lehmann and Robert N. Johnson.

ARTICLE 1. To hear the reports of all Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon, or take any action relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the reports of the Town Officers, Boards and Departments be accepted as printed in the 1974 Annual Town Report, subject to errors in printing.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1975, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for



period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town authorize the treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1975, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with the General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will fix the salaries of all elected officers as provided in Section 108, Chapter 41 of the General Laws, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the salaries of the elected Town Officers for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975, and as provided in Section 108 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, be fixed as follows:

Chairman of Selectmen	\$10,950.00
Two Selectmen	7,117.50 each
Three Assessors	1,642.50 each
Treasurer	4,544.00
Tax Collector	7,446.00
Town Clerk	5,475.00
Moderator	200.00
Highway Surveyor	12,844.00
Tree Warden	2,000.00
Board of Health—Chairman	738.00
—Vice Chairman	685.00
—Clerk	685.00

ARTICLE 4. To hear the report of the Finance Committee and to raise and appropriate monies as may be needed to defray Town expenses for the Fiscal Year from July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976, or do anything relative thereto.

#### BUDGET 1975-1976

	Approp.	Recom'd.
Legislative	\$700.00	\$700.00
Law	20,000.00	20,000.00
Certification of Notes	36,000.00	36,000.00
Finance Committee	500.00	500.00

	Approp.	Recom'd.
Selectmen	30,500.00	31,685.00
Assessors	23,000.00	23,428.00
Accountant	9,360.00	11,010.00
Clerical—SA & A	30,000.00	37,490.00
Treasurer	7,445.00	7,839.00
Tax Collector	13,200.00	15,646.00
Town Clerk	7,300.00	7,975.00
Clerical-Treasurer, etc.	30,800.00	39,904.00
Election and Registration	9,750.00	9,655.00
Town Garage	6,830.00	7,530.00
Town Hall	9,400.00	12,330.00
Police	395,744.00	422,450.00
Fire	235,939.00	246,803.00
Woods Roads	500.00	500.00
Forest Warden	1,700.00	1,700.00
Insect Pest Control	5,000.00	5,700.00
Dutch Elm Disease	14,000.00	15,500.00
Tree Warden	7,800.00	8,500.00
Wire Inspector	2,220.00	2,460.00
Building Inspector	11,360.00	12,670.00
Gas Inspector	2,000.00	3,200.00
Dog and Conservation Officer	14,280.00	20,810.00
Health and Sanitation	65,458.00	52,817.00
Public Health Nurse	49,025.00	71,966.00
Highways General	89,537.00	91,944.00
Veterans Services	40,000.00	40,000.00
School	1,890,335.00	2,393,023.00
Vocational School	50,281.89	48,739.73
Library	40,931.00	48,170.00
Park	33,820.00	35,354.00
Engineering	56,350.00	51,510.00
Clark-Haddad Building	5,030.00	9,280.00
Street Lights	15,000.00	21,000.00
Civil Defense	400.00	720.00
Planning Board	8,560.00	7,695.00
Appeals Board	3,925.00	4,010.00
Conservation Commission	31,790.00	27,950.00
Sandwich Historic Dist. Commission	200.00	2,850.00
Sandwich Historical Commission	800.00	1,000.00
Memorial Day	800.00	800.00
Miscellaneous	500.00	1,000.00
Public Entertainment	500.00	500.00

	Approp.	Recom'd.
Town Advertising	500.00	500.00
Town Clock	500.00	500.00
Christmas Lighting	2,500.00	1,500.00
Binding Town Records	1,500.00	1,000.00
Tax Title Account	11,395.00	12,000.00
Shellfish Warden	2,006.00	2,750.00
Bourne Shellfish Program	.....	1,000.00
Fish and Game	300.00	300.00
Town Insurance	28,000.00	60,000.00
Street Signs	1,000.00	2,000.00
Fourth of July Celebration	2,800.00	3,000.00
Town Reports and Warrants	5,000.00	6,000.00
Greenhead Fly Control	422.00	422.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00	1,000.00
Recreation Committee	38,980.00	46,756.00
Council on Aging	7,000.00	7,000.00
Bicentennial Committee	.....	3,000.00
Cemeteries	9,250.00	5,500.00
School Loan—1958	25,000.00	25,000.00
School Loan—1963	50,000.00	50,000.00
Municipal Loan—(For Drainage & Conservation Land Purchase)	.....	100,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	17,500.00	.....
Historic Study Commission	500.00	.....
School Loan—1974	625,000.00	.....
Interest on School Loans	639,000.00	.....
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	\$4,777,723.89	\$4,241,541.73

Dr. Ostrander, for the Finance Committee, in addition to the explanation given in the Warrant, explained the Finance Committee's view of the various departments and moved that the Town raise and appropriate \$4,241,541.73 for the budget for Fiscal 1976, divided among the respective accounts, as printed in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant under Article 4.

Mr. Jack Jillson moved to amend Article 4 by striking line 31 of the Budget 1975-1976 Column 2 and substituting the figure \$2,293,023.00 and by striking the total in Column 2 and substituting \$4,141,541.73 therefor. The motion was seconded.

There was considerable discussion on the amendment. Mr. Jillson felt that costs could be cut without detriment to teaching, that the administrative budget was too high, that



there were many items which could be cut. Mr. Nelson of the Finance Committee said the School Committee had reduced by some \$58,000.00 their original request. Mr. Persson gave the Committee's viewpoint and an explanation of some of the various items. Mr. Jillson still felt that there were many ways in which the budget could be reduced by the \$100,000.00 citing in addition to administrative expense he felt to be out of line for the size of the town and school system, the school newspaper printed and mailed at taxpayer expense, and raises for teachers which were admittedly not 9½% but on the order of 15%.

The vote on this amendment was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

Mr. James Sunderland moved to reconsider and the Moderator ruled him out of order at this point.

There followed discussion on the fact that the Court traditionally rules in favor of the School Committee on any attempt to cut this budget, and that a fine of \$25,000.00 or 25% of the cut could be imposed. Mrs. Sullivan felt that the Town might be the first to win such a contest, particularly in view of the economic situation.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,141,541.73 for the budget for Fiscal Year 1976 divided among the respective accounts as amended. The vote was 478 Yes, 225 No. This was a standing vote.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for oil treatment of Town Roads or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$22,000.00 from Surplus Revenue for oil treatment of Town Roads.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to transfer monies received, or to be received, from the Commonwealth under State Aid to Highways Programs to be used for Highway Construction under Chapter 90 on Quaker Meeting House Road, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate the following State Aid Highway Program Funds



for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Quaker Meeting House Road:

Chapter 825, Acts of 1974 - \$49,226.00

Chapter 765, Acts of 1972 - \$85,246.00

Chapter 497, Acts of 1971 - \$37,872.73

**ARTICLE 7.** To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of foreshores and shores along the public beach in the Town of Sandwich, in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

**ARTICLE 8.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer the following unexpended balances from Special Appropriations to the Surplus Revenue Account:

\$59.07	School—Portable Classrooms
5.00	Road Taking—Gully Lane
5.00	Juniper Hill
5.00	Faunce Mountain & Morgan Trail
5.00	June and Ida Lanes
5.00	Turtle Cove, Wee Heather Way & Burning Tree Lane
5.00	Samoset, Thumpertown, Shady Oak Lane
5.00	Chipman Road
5.00	Crowell Road

5.00	Kiah's Way
5.00	Herring Run
5.00	Lakewood Drive
5.00	Moody Drive
5.00	Freedom & Friendly Roads
98.00	Knott Avenue Easement
120.00	Improvement Pine Street Lot
494.23	Mt. Hope Cemetery Wall

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer the unexpended balances from Special Appropriations totaling \$836.30 as listed in the Annual Town Meeting Warrant to the Surplus Revenue Account.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift a parcel of land from Joseph A. Kudera, et ux, shown as Lot 22, Horseshoe Circle on sub-division plan of Galloping Hills, containing an area of 20,339 square feet to be designated for drainage purposes or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept as a gift from Joseph A. Kudera, et ux, a parcel of land shown as Lot 22 on the subdivision plan of Galloping Hills, containing an area of 20,339 square feet to be designated for drainage purposes.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to a Reserve Account, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$40,000.00 for a Reserve Account.

It was moved by Janet Semonian and seconded that Article 4, as amended, be reconsidered.

**By Hand Vote:** 408 Opposed reconsideration, 182 voted for reconsideration.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to reimburse Barnstable County in connection with Land Damages paid in connection with the County Taking of Great Hill Road and Chase Road, as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$2,030.00 to reimburse Barnstable County to cover

land damages paid in connection with the County taking on Great Hill Road and Chase Road as billed to the Town by the County Commissioners.

**ARTICLE 12.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be paid to the Cape Cod Mental Health Association for services rendered to the citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,181.00 to be paid to the Cape Cod Mental Health Association for services rendered to citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset.

**ARTICLE 13.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be paid to the Cape-Islands Home Care, Inc., to be used as matching funds to enable the Home Care Program to offer services to elderly residents of the area, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$500.00 to be paid to the Cape-Islands Home Care, Inc., to be used as matching funds to enable the Home Care Program to offer services to elderly residents of the area.

**ARTICLE 14.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be paid to the Cape Cod Retired Senior Volunteer Program, known as R.S.V.P. to assist in the promotion of their volunteer program, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$500.00 to be paid to the Cape Cod Retired Senior Volunteer Program to assist in the promotion of their volunteer program.

**ARTICLE 15.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for a previous unpaid bill, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town raise and appropriate \$3,220.50 for a previous unpaid bill due Newell B. Snow for the completion of survey work on Great Hill Road and Chase Road in connection with the County Layout.

**ARTICLE 16.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for highway work on Town



Roads in accordance with the following list, or do anything relative thereto:

Willow Street	\$7,480.00
Jarves Street	3,000.00
Shawme Road	15,550.00
Gully Lane	17,490.00
Ploughed Neck Road	10,520.00
Factory Street	5,880.00
Jarves St.—Sidewalks	6,750.00
Freeman Avenue	24,500.00
Town Neck Road	8,500.00

Dr. Ostrander explained each road situation.

A ten minute break was taken at this point.

On resumption, Mr. Clarence VanBuskirk moved to amend Article 16 by changing Town Neck Road to \$33,781.60, deleting Freeman Avenue \$24,500.00 and amend the total accordingly.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$100,451.60 for Highway work on the following roads:

Willow Street	\$ 7,480.00
Section of Jarves Street	3,000.00
Section of Shawme Road	15,550.00
Section of Gully Lane	17,490.00
Section of Ploughed Neck Road	10,520.00
Section of Factory Street	5,880.00
Sidewalk—Jarves Street	6,750.00
Town Neck Road	33,781.60

At this point Elizabeth Casperson moved that Article 71 be considered. This motion was seconded and carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE 71. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for payment to the Town of Barnstable for privileges at Sandy Neck Beach, subject to favorable action of the Massachusetts General Court granting permission through legislation, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$4,000. from the Beach Sticker Fee Account and transfer and appropriate \$2,500.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to an account for payment to the Town of Barnstable for full beach and other recreation privileges of the Barnstable Sandy Neck area for residents and property owners of the Town of Sand-



wich and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into such an agreement as might be required as authorized under Chapter 40, Section 4A, of the Massachusetts General Laws or to obtain any other enabling legislation that might be needed. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

Mr. DeConto moved that Article 16 be reconsidered. This motion was defeated by voice vote.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the money received from the State Public Library Aid Account to the Library Appropriation Account, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$1,964.63 received from the State Public Library Aid Fund to the Library Appropriation Account.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the money received from the Dog Fund of 1974 to the Library Appropriation Account, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$3,135.78 received from the 1974 Dog Fund to the Library Appropriation Account.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will authorize the continuance of the present Town Hall Study Committee as authorized by the Annual Town Meeting 1974, Article 26, and authorize said Committee to employ an architect to provide a financial, architectural, structural, mechanical, electrical, and site feasibility study of the present Town Hall and Town Hall Square area, and any additional buildings and properties the Committee shall designate as will enable the Committee to report not later than the 1976 Annual Town Meeting such estimates and recommendations of the cost of renovation, additions, and/or other construction to accommodate town offices, such study being based on Town Hall Study Committee's recommended 10 year space needs projection, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of said committee to employ such professional assistance, or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Town Hall Study Committee.)

Dr. Ostrander noted that Article 19 and 20 are conflicting in scope, the Finance Committee studied the two, and

recommended that \$35,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the use of the Committee to employ professional assistance.

After further discussion, by standing vote, Article 19 was defeated; 166 for, 272 against.

A motion to adjourn was defeated.

Mr. Joseph Sullivan requested that Articles 51 and 52 be considered next and this was defeated.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will authorize the continuance of the present Town Hall Study Committee and authorize it to employ a registered architect experienced with old buildings to conduct such studies of the present Town Hall as will enable the Committee to present to the Town an estimate of the cost of renovation of the building for use as Town offices including in particular those of the Selectmen / Assessors and Treasurer / Tax Collector / Registrar/and Clerk, and such other Town Offices as may be feasible, and to raise and appropriate a sum not less than \$7,500.00 for said purpose and the Committee to report such estimate not later than the next annual Town Meeting, or do anything relative thereto. (By Petition)

VOTED: The motion was voted as presented by a standing vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 P.M. until Tuesday, May 6, 1975 at 7:30 P.M. to vote on remaining articles.

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### **Tuesday, May 6, 1975**

The Moderator opened the meeting on Tuesday, May 6, 1975 at 7:30 P.M.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the 1974 Income from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill for the Operation and Maintenance of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$19,589.90 from the Hoxie House and Grist Mill Income Account to be used for the operation and maintenance of the Hoxie House and Grist Mill.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the money from the Marina Income Ac-

count for the use of the operation, maintenance, repairs and capital outlay at the East Boat Basin Marina, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$10,309.94 from the Marina Income Account to a maintenance operating and capital outlay account.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following Town By-Law; or do anything relative thereto:

Motor boats with either internal combustion motors or electric motors in excess of ten horsepower will be prohibited from the following ponds as authorized by Section 45 of Chapter 131 of the Massachusetts General Laws:

Lawrence Pond

Peters Pond

Pimlico Pond

Snake Pond

Triangle Pond

Spectacle Pond

and to impose a fine not to exceed Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars for each violation.

The article was moved and seconded. Janet Richards moved an amendment to the article to delete from the list of ponds Lawrence Pond, Triangle Pond, Peters Pond and Spectacle Pond.

The amendment was voted on and did not carry.

Another amendment by James Crocker to delete Snake Pond from the list was moved and seconded. This was voted and did not carry.

VOTED: The article as printed in the warrant was voted by hand vote; 195 yes, 252 no.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to abandon a section of Beale Avenue which lays outside of the sixty-foot road layout and by legal instrument convey the areas to the abutting property owners, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town abandon a section of Beale Avenue which lies outside of the sixty foot road layout, to the abutting property owners, with the restriction that the increased area added to the present lot area will not change the present use of the land. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.



ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell by sealed bid the Dunbar House with supporting land. Sale to be on a date and under specific terms determined by the Selectmen or do anything relative thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

This article was declared out of order, considering Article 12 of last year, by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase Accounting Equipment to handle payroll, tax billing, cash receipts and budgetary accounting and to transfer and appropriate a sum of money from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund from the Special Savings Account to cover the cost of said purchase, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase accounting equipment to handle payroll, tax billing, cash receipts and budgetary accounting and to transfer and appropriate \$27,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund now on deposit in a Special Savings Account.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to correct a drainage problem on Leveridge Lane, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$3,474.00 to correct a drainage problem on Leveridge Lane.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund deposited in a Special Savings Account and appropriate the money as needed to cover the cost of Police Cruisers for the Police Department, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$21,500.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund on deposit in a Special Savings Account to be available as needed for the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, of replacement Police Cruisers for the Police Department.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:



1. Amend Section 1220 by deleting it in its entirety and substituting the following:

"1220. No building permit shall be approved except in compliance with this bylaw. Sufficient information shall be submitted to demonstrate compliance, including a plot plan showing, in addition to those items required under Section 113.6 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Building Code, grade at the four corners of the lot, at the street centerline, at the center of lot frontage, at the building location, and at sill height; and sufficient data to determine compliance with parking, standing and loading, landscaping and screening, and other applicable provisions of this Bylaw. Prior to proceeding with construction above the foundation, a Registered Land Surveyor shall certify that the structure has been located in compliance with all yard requirements."

2. Amend Section 1230 by deleting it in its entirety, and substituting the following:

"1230. No certificate of use and occupancy as required at Section 120.0 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Building Code shall be issued in violation of any provisions of this Bylaw, and no use of land not requiring such certificate under the building code shall be initiated or changed without certification of use compliance by the Building Inspector."

or act in relation thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

The Finance Committee moved the Article, which was duly seconded, then accepted the Amendment of Jonathan Fitch, Member of the Planning Board, as follows:

In Section "1220" after the words a Registered Land Surveyor the words "or Registered Engineer" be inserted.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. Amend Section 1220 by deleting it in its entirety and substituting the following:

"1220. No building permit shall be approved except in compliance with this Bylaw. Sufficient information shall be submitted to demonstrate compliance, including a plot plan showing, in addition to those items required under Section 113.6 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Building Code, grade at the four corners of the lot, at the street centerline, at the center of lot frontage, at the building location, and at sill height; and sufficient data to determine compliance with

parking, standing and loading, landscaping and screening, and other applicable provisions of this Bylaw. Prior to proceeding with construction above the foundation, a Registered Land Surveyor or Registered Engineer shall certify that the structure has been located in compliance with all yard requirements."

2. Amend Section 1230 by deleting it in its entirety, and substituting the following:

"1230. No certificate of use and occupancy as required at Section 120.0 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Building Code shall be issued in violation of any provisions of this Bylaw, and no use of land not requiring such certificate under the building code shall be initiated or changed without certification of use compliance by the Building Inspector."

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting the first sentence of Section 1260 and replacing it with the following:

"A performance bond or deposit of not less than \$4.00 per foot of lot frontage plus \$0.10 per cubic foot of foundation volume shall be required prior to authorization of any new structure or addition if, in either case, involving more than 200 square feet floor area, as security against possible costs due to erosion or damage within street rights-of-way, or failure to enclose and backfill the foundation within the time period covered by the building permit."

or act in relation thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

The article was moved and seconded and Mr. Bryden, for the Planning Board, made the amendment that the figure \$0.05 be substituted for the \$0.10 which appears in the second line of the article, and recommended the article. The amendment was accepted by the mover of the article and the article was then voted.

VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting the first sentence of Section 1260 and replacing it with the following:

"A performance bond or deposit of not less than \$4.00 per foot of lot frontage plus \$0.05 per cubic foot of foundation volume shall be required prior to authorization of any new structure or addition if, in either case, involving more than 200 square feet floor area, as security against possible costs due to erosion or damage within street rights of-way, or



failure to enclose and backfill the foundation within the time period covered by the building permit."

The vote on this Article was a standing vote; 306 Yes, 42 No. The vote met the 2/3 requirement.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaw by inserting Section 1370, to read as follows:

"1370. The Zoning Board of Appeals shall act as the Board of Appeals under the Subdivision Control Law, with the authority to issue withheld building permits as provided at Section 81-Y, Chapter 41, G.L."

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town amend the Zoning Bylaw by inserting Section 1370, to read as follows:

"1370. The Zoning Board of Appeals shall act as the Board of Appeals under the Subdivision Control Law, with the authority to issue withheld building permits as provided at Section 81-Y, Chapter 41, General Laws."

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by inserting the following therein:

4700. Swimming Pools

4710. Each swimming pool, whether "public" or "private" as defined at Section 422.2 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts State Building Code, shall be enclosed by a fence not less than four feet in height, with self-latching gate, which shall completely enclose the swimming pool and surrounding walks and diving platforms.

4720. The pool wall itself if 48" or more in height, or a building, natural barrier, hedge, pool cover, or other protective device may be approved by the Building Inspector if giving protection comparable to the above.

4730. Mesh or openings in a metal fence shall be no larger than two inches wide. All metal fences, enclosures, or railings to which bathers have access near or adjacent to a swimming pool, and which may become electrically charged as a result of contact with broken overhead conductors, or from any other cause, shall be effectively grounded.

or act in relation thereto. (Request of the Planning Board)

Dr. Chester Cross made the following two amendments which were accepted by the mover of the article.

a. Under 4710, the second line, "Section 422.2" be made to read "Section 422", and

- b. Under 4720, the first line, that the words "above grade" be added after the word "height."

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by inserting the following therein:

4700. Swimming Pools

4710. Each swimming pool, whether "public" or "private" as defined at Section 422 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts State Building Code, shall be enclosed by a fence not less than four feet in height, with self-latching gate, which shall completely enclose the swimming pool and surrounding walks and diving platforms.

4720. The pool wall itself if 48" or more in height above grade, or a building, natural barrier, hedge, pool cover, or other protective device may be approved by the building inspector if giving protection comparable to the above.

4730. Mesh or openings in a metal fence shall be no larger than two inches wide. All metal fences, enclosures, or railings to which bathers have access near or adjacent to a swimming pool, and which may become electrically charged as a result of contact with broken overhead conductors, or from any other cause, shall be effectively grounded.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting the first sentence of Section 4320 and substituting the following:

"No building permit shall be issued for construction where any land to be excavated or filled in conjunction with such construction is less than ten feet elevation above mean sea level, or is part of a sand dune within 300 feet horizontally of the mean high water line, unless granted a Special Permit for an exception by the Board of Appeals."  
or act in relation thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

VOTED: That the Town amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw by deleting the first sentence of Section 4320 and substituting the following:

"No building permit shall be issued for construction where any land to be excavated or filled in conjunction with such construction is less than ten feet elevation above mean sea level, or is part of a sand dune within 300 feet horizontally of the mean high water line, unless granted a Special Permit for an exception by the Board of Appeals." This was declared carried by a two-thirds voice vote.



ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. Delete Section 2420 and replace it with the following:

2420. Alteration or Extension.

2421. Extension. No addition to or increase in the extent of a non-conforming use of a structure or land may be made, except that the Board of Appeals may grant a Special Permit for expansion of existing campgrounds, mobile home parks, motels or motor courts, and cottage colonies provided that only those parcels are used as were so employed at the time the use was made nonconforming.

2422. Alteration. Provided that it does not involve the extension of a nonconforming use prohibited above, a nonconforming structure may be altered or reconstructed;

a. without limit if so ordered by the Building Inspector to render the building safe; or

b. to the extent that the cumulative cost of all alterations or reconstruction undertaken subsequent to becoming non-conforming do not exceed 50% of the replacement value of the structure at the time of any proposed change, as estimated by the Building Inspector.

2. Delete Section 2440, and replace it with the following:

2440. Changes. The Board of Appeals may grant a Special Permit to allow a nonconforming use to be changed to a different nonconforming use, provided that the change reduces the degree of nonconformity through such changes as reduced auto or truck traffic, smaller or fewer signs, less floor area or land devoted to the use, less discernable noise, vibration, odor, or light, or exterior appearances more consistent with that of the district.

or act in relation thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

Mr. Walter Stahura made the following amendment:

2421. Extension. No addition to or increase in the extent of non-conforming use of a structure or land may be made, except that the Board of Appeals may grant a Special Permit or expansion of existing campgrounds, mobile home parks, motels or motor courts, cottage colonies and all existing businesses provided that only those parcels are used as were so employed at the time the use was made non-conforming.

This amendment was voted by voice vote and declared Unanimous by the Moderator.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town of Sandwich amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. Delete Section 2420 and replace it with the following:  
 "2420. Alteration or Extension  
 2421. Extension. No addition to or increase in the extent of a non-conforming use of a structure or land may be made, except that the Board of Appeals may grant a Special Permit for expansion of existing campgrounds, mobile home parks, motels or motor courts, cottage colonies and all existing businesses provided that only those parcels are used as were so employed at the time the use was made non-conforming.  
 2422. Alteration. Provided that it does not involve the extension of nonconforming use prohibited above, a non-conforming structure may be altered or reconstructed;
  - a. without limit if so ordered by the Building Inspector to render the building safe; or
  - b. to the extent that the cumulative cost of all alterations or reconstruction undertaken subsequent to becoming non-conforming do not exceed 50% of the replacement value of the structure at the time of any proposed change, as estimated by the Building Inspector.
2. Delete Section 2440, and replace it with the following:  
 2440. Changes. The Board of Appeals may grant a Special Permit to allow a non-conforming use to be changed to a different non-conforming use, provided that the change reduces the degree of non-conformity through such changes as reduced auto or truck traffic, smaller or fewer signs, less floor area or land devoted to the use, less discernable noise, vibration, odor, or light, or exterior appearance more consistent with that of the district.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning ByLaw by revising Section 2310 (Use Regulation Schedule, Principal Uses), adding to the row heading which now reads "Office", so that it will read "Office or medical clinic", and by amending Article V Definitions by inserting the following definition at its appropriate alphabetical location:

"Medical Clinic — An institution or place providing medical, surgical, dental, restorative or mental hygiene services to persons not residing therein, under license as a clinic under Section 51, Ch. 111, G.L."

or act in relation thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

Dr. Cross pointed out that as a result of discussion at the Hearing on the Zoning Articles, the Board recommended Indefinite Postponement.

VOTED: Indefinite Postponement of Article 35. Moderator declared carried by Voice Vote.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. In Section 2310 insert a new row below "Farm-Others," to read as follows:

	R-20						
	R-40	BL	IND	MAR	RD	S	GD
"Farm Stand"	S	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N"

and add footnote 5, to read:

"See Section 4800."

2. Insert a new Section 4800, to read as follows:

"4800. Farm Stands. Farm stands shall be allowed as a principal use only if located on a state-numbered highway and having no more than 200 square feet floor area, having no dimension exceeding 16 feet, no sales made from truck trailers, and not less than 70% of the annual gross revenue derived from farm and food products grown or made in the Town of Sandwich, and if in an R-20 or R-40 District, if granted a Special Permit by the Board of Appeals.

Compliance with the certificate of use and occupancy shall be annually reviewed and recertified by the Selectmen to ensure that conformity is maintained."

or act in relation thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

VOTED: Indefinite Postponement of Article 36. Moderator declared carried by Voice Vote.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw, Section 2600, by deleting footnote "c" (which is referenced to the row heading "Min. front yard"), and substituting the following:



"c" On Special Permit from the Board of Appeals, may be reduced to the lesser of 30% of lot depth or the average of the setbacks of the buildings on the lots next thereto on either side, a vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building set back more than the minimum requirement being counted as though occupied by a building set back by that minimum. Corner and through lots shall maintain front yard requirements for both frontages."

or act in relation thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Article 37 was Unanimously Voted as printed in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Zoning Bylaw as follows:

1. Revise Section 2140 by deleting the paragraph headed "RIDGE" "RD" and substituting the following:

"RIDGE: RD — To provide for flexible development of large-scale tracts, preserving or enhancing views of the bay from public ways, preserving or enhancing landscaping and tree cover, avoiding creation of hazards or congestion, and assuring compatibility with low density residential development, while still allowing nonresidential development for regional service near expressway interchanges."

2. Revise Section 2600 by deleting the RD column and replacing it with the following:

	RD
Min. lot area (sq. ft.)	"170,000
Min. lot frontage (ft.)	300
Min. front yard (ft.)	40
Min. side, rear yard (ft.)	40
Max. lot coverage (%)	10
Max. building height (ft.)	30

or act in relation thereto.

(Request of the Planning Board)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Article 38 was Unanimously Voted to Postpone.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sandwich Sign Code Bylaw as follows, or do anything relative thereto:



1. Revise Section 3, subsection (e) by substituting the words Sign Inspector in place of Building Inspector.
2. Revise Section 8, Historic District Signs, by changing the name Commission to Committee to conform with Act 427.
3. Revise Section 4, subsection (g) by changing the sign size from 12 square feet to 16 square feet to correct an error in printing.  
(Request of the Building Inspector)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Article 39 was Unanimously Voted as printed in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to change the fees charged for Building Permits in accordance with the following, or do anything relative thereto.

Residential Dwellings — Fees shall be based on the cost multiplied by .002.

Commercial Buildings — Fees shall be based on the cost multiplied by .003. (Request of the Building Inspector)

VOTED: Article 40 was voted as printed in the Warrant. It was a standing vote; 201 Yes, 134 No. This Article was declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to change the Town Bylaw, Article II, Section I, relating to the Finance Committee and substitute the following:

"The Finance Committee shall be an elected committee by the legal voters of the Town that shall not exceed more than five legal voters of the Town and no later than thirty days after being duly elected shall elect a chairman. The duties of the Finance Committee shall be to act in an advisory capacity to the Selectmen and heads of Departments seeking appropriation of money and who through their chairman, or other members authorized by them report their findings and recommendations on all budgetary matters within the scope of their powers to the meeting. Such members shall be elected to serve for a term of one year from date of election without compensation. In the event of a created vacancy of a member, the Board of Selectmen shall appoint a replacement until the following election."  
(By Petition)

VOTED: This article was voted by voice vote and De-feated.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote that any expenditures of monies that exceed the amount of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars shall be brought forth at any Town Meeting, whether such a meeting shall be a Special or Annual Town Meeting, prior to 10 o'clock (Ten) p.m. on the date of such meeting. (By Petition)

This article was declared illegal, on the grounds of usurping the authority of future Town Meetings, by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to increase the members of the Council on Aging from seven, as authorized in 1972, to eleven, or do anything relative thereto.

(Request of the Council on Aging)

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: Article 43 was voted as printed in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money required by the School Building Committee to fulfill the terms of their original construction program, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$155,250.00 from Surplus Revenue Account to the School Building Account to allow the School Building Committee to fulfill the terms of their original construction program.

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to set up a Community School Program for the better utilization of School Building facilities for the entire community, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$25,570.00 from Surplus Revenue to an account to set up a Community School Program for the better utilization of school building facilities for the entire community. Such program to be administered by the Community School Committee.

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund, deposited in a Special Savings Account for the purchase by the

Fire Department of a Tank Truck to replace a twenty-five year old Tank Truck, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$15,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund on deposit in a Special Savings Account for the purchase by the Fire Department, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a replacement Tank Truck.

It was moved that the meeting adjourn until Friday, changed to Monday, after voting on Thursday.

At this point, Mr. Sullivan requested that Articles 51 and 52 be heard and it was voted 188 to 77 that the articles be heard.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase or take by eminent domain for school purposes any rights of way or other easements crossing the Town owned school site property abutting the westerly side of Quaker Meeting House Road and shown on a plan entitled, "Plan of Land in Sandwich, Massachusetts, Quaker Meeting House Road, Scale 1"=100', dated February 14, 1972, William C. Taylor, R.L.S., Town Engineer," recorded with the Barnstable County Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 254, Page 51, and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for said purposes or do anything relative thereto.

After a lengthy discussion of just where the land involved was located, the rights of the abutters etc., a motion was made, seconded and carried by hand count 231 for, to put the article on the table.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 to vote on Thursday, May 8, 1975 and to consider remaining articles on Monday, May 12, 1975.

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### Monday, May 12, 1975

The meeting was called to order on May 12, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for



making basic changes in a pumper acquired from Otis at no cost to the Town, or do anything relative thereto.

Dr. Ostrander explained that since the Warrant had been printed it had been ascertained that the Fire Department Budget provides sufficient funds for this, and he moved the Article be indefinitely postponed.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: To Indefinitely Postpone Article 47.

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for the payment of Interest on Loans.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$461,342.00 for Interest Payment on Loans.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the 1975 appropriation for payment of School Loan — 1974, a sum of money for principal payment on School Loan.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$625,000.00 from the 1975 Principal Loan Payment Account to be available for Principal payment on loan in the 1976 fiscal year.

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 32, Section 90 (c) of the Massachusetts General Laws increasing the retirement allowance for certain former employees of the Town, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept Chapter 32, Section 90 (c), of the Massachusetts General Laws increasing the retirement allowance for certain former employees of the Town.

It was moved, seconded and carried to take Article 51 from the table.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase or take by eminent domain for school purposes any rights of way or other easements crossing the Town owned school site property abutting the westerly side of Quaker Meeting House Road and shown on a plan entitled, "Plan of Land in Sandwich, Massachusetts, Quaker Meeting House Road, Scale 1"=100', dated February 14, 1972, William C. Taylor, R.L.S., Town Engineer,"



recorded with the Barnstable County Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 254, Page 51, and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for said purposes or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase or take by eminent domain for school purposes any rights of way or other easements crossing the Town owned school site property abutting the westerly side of Quaker Meeting House Road and shown on plan entitled, "Plan of Land in Sandwich, Massachusetts, Quaker Meeting House Road, Scale 1"=100', dated February 14, 1972, William C. Taylor, R.L.S., Town Engineer," recorded with the Barnstable County Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 254, Page 51, and to raise and appropriate \$10.00 for said purpose.

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as a Town Way, that portion of the Way known as Berkshires to the Cape Trail, also known as Pond Road, also known as Pine Hill Road, also known as Kerns Mountain Road which lies between the westerly sideline of Quaker Meeting House Road and the easterly side of Discovery Hill Road.

It was pointed out that if some of these ways were not discontinued, a land owner could use the way for lots on a subdivision, approval not required, and the Town would have to upgrade the roads. Mr. Jillson, Mr. Leydon and Mr. Bryden speaking in favor of the article.

Channing E. Hoxie stated that there was no record on file in the Town Clerk's Office that this was a Town way.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town discontinue as a Town Way, that portion of the Way known as Berkshires to the Cape Trail, also known as Pond Road, also known as Pine Hill Road, also known as Kerns Mountain Road which lies between the westerly sideline of Quaker Meeting House Road and the easterly side of Discovery Hill Road.

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Pinkham Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated October 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Pinkham Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated October 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$14,143.00 for said purpose.

The vote on this Article was a standing vote; 274 Yes, 75 No. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will accept a section of Popple Bottom Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated September 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of a section of Popple Bottom Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated September 1973 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$3,894.00 for said purpose.

The vote on this article was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator. This met the 2/3 requirement.

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will accept the layout of a section of John Ewer Road between Farmersville Road and Cotuit Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated February 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase, or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of a section of John Ewer Road between Farmersville Road and Cotuit Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated February 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Se-

lectmen to take by purchase, or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$4,898.00 for said purpose.

This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

**ARTICLE 56.** To see if the Town will accept the layout of Shore Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

**VOTED:** Article 56 was Defeated by hand vote; 161 for, 209 against.

**ARTICLE 57.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the following request of the Public Health Nurse so that the Nursing Agency will conform with all legal requirements:

That the Bylaws of the Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency Advisory Board as approved by the Board of Selectmen be accepted as the governing bylaws of the Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency.

#### **Statement of Purpose**

That the Sandwich Public Health Nurse be appointed by the Board of Selectmen to provide skilled nursing, therapeutic services, social services, home health teaching and supervision when necessary to all residents of the Town of Sandwich regardless of color, race or creed.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** Article 57 was Unanimously Voted as printed in the Warrant.

**ARTICLE 58.** To see if the Town will accept the layout of Andersen Avenue and Edward Kelly Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.



**VOTED:** That the Town accept the layout of Andersen Avenue and Edward Kelly Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

This was a standing vote; 259 Yes, 22 No. This vote met the 2/3 requirement.

**ARTICLE 59.** To see if the Town will accept the layout of a portion of Surrey Lane and Horseshoe Circle as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen and in accordance with the plans thereof, dated March 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept the layout of a portion of Surrey Lane and Horseshoe Circle as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen and in accordance with the plans thereof, dated March 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

**ARTICLE 60.** To see if the Town will accept the layout of a section of Artisan Way as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, and dated January 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** That the Town accept the layout of a section of Artisan Way as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, and dated January 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.



ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Regents Gate and Coventry Place as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1974; Lambeth Circle as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with plans thereof dated December 1974; and a section of Windsor Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with plans thereof dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Regents Gate and Coventry Place as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated November 1974; Lambeth Circle as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with plans thereof dated December 1974; and a section of Windsor Road as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with plans thereof dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

This was a voice vote and met the 2/3 requirement.

ARTICLE 62. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Holly Lane, Pond View Drive and Fox Hill Lane as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated November 1974, December 1974 and January 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Holly Lane, Pond View Drive and Fox Hill Lane as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof, dated November 1974, December 1974 and January 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

This was a voice vote and met the 2/3 requirement.

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Ridgewood Drive as laid out recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Ridgewood Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

ARTICLE 64. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Sea Meadow Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated March 1974 and Wellington Circle, Royal Circle, and Scarborough Circle as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated February 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

The motion was moved by the Finance Committee and duly seconded.

Dr. David Wright moved the Article be amended by deleting Wellington Circle. This was voted by voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Sea Meadow Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated March 1974 and Royal Circle, and Scarborough Circle as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated February 1974 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.



Mr. Wilkinson moved that Article 58 be reconsidered. This motion was not carried.

ARTICLE 65. To see if the Town will accept the layout of Crestview Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town such land as may be necessary therefor and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town accept the layout of Crestview Drive as laid out and recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with the plans thereof dated March 1975 and filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, on behalf of the Town, such land as may be necessary therefor and to raise and appropriate \$5.00 for said purpose.

This was a voice vote and met the 2/3 requirement.

ARTICLE 66. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of land by the Conservation Commission for Conservation purposes, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$17,500.00 for the purchase of land by the Conservation Commission for Conservation purposes.

ARTICLE 67. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for the cost of purchasing, operating and maintaining a Tractor/Loader for use at the Town's solid waste disposal area, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: Article 67 was voted by voice vote and declared Defeated by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 68. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for the purchase of a new modular type ambulance to meet both federal and state requirements for the Fire Department or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$2,100.00 from the Ambulance Service Income Account and

transfer and appropriate \$18,000.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account for the purchase, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a new Modular type ambulance.

This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 69. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a new air horn to replace the present siren on the Main Fire Station, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$6,000.00 for the purchase of a new air horn to replace the present siren on the main Fire Station. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 70. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of school traffic signals at the entrance to the Junior-Senior High School on Quaker Meeting House Road, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$4,000.00 for the installation of School Traffic Signals on Quaker Meeting House Road in the location of the new Junior-Senior High School.

ARTICLE 71. See Page 102 of this Report.

ARTICLE 72. To elect the following officers:

One Selectman for a term of three years.

One Assessor for a term of three years.

One Constable for a term of three years.

Two members of the School Committee for a term of three years.

One Member of the Board of Health for a term of three years.

Three Trustees of the Sandwich Public Library for a term of three years.

One Trustee of the Weston Memorial Fund for a term of three years.

One Trustee of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building for a term of three years.

One Member of the Planning Board for a term of five years.

One Member of the Housing Authority for a term of three years.



And all other candidates that may appear on the official ballot.

And to vote Yes or No on the following questions:

**Question 1.**

Shall Ferdinand L. Alvezi, incumbent in the position of Chief of the Sandwich Fire Department, be granted tenure pursuant to section one hundred and twenty-six to one hundred thirty-two, inclusive of Chapter 41 of the General Laws?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_

No \_\_\_\_\_

**Question 2.**

Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_

No \_\_\_\_\_

The polls for the election of officers will be open at 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon on said

**THURSDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF MAY 1975**

and will close at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

The Town Meeting adjourned at 9:55 p.m. to vote on Thursday, May 8, 1975.

**VOTED:**

**SELECTMAN**

Carlo A. Pola	338
David W. Allen	489
H. Maurice Burke	101
Richard DeConto	53
Benjamin D. Fleet, Jr.	1,004
Margaret Pola	1
Blanks	34
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Total	2,020

**ASSESSOR**

Carlo A. Pola	347
David W. Allen	482
H. Maurice Burke	103

Richard T. DeConto	53
Benjamin D. Fleet, Jr.	994
Blanks	41

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Total	2,020
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## CONSTABLE

Clyde S. Gill	1,427
William E. Duncan	478
Nils Soderberg	2
Blanks	113

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Total	2,020
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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stanley A. Torrey	788
Richard James Buckland Jr.	359
Joseph A. Kudera	585
Lorraine A. Lupone	515
William P. McBride, Jr.	268
Paula Savel	573
Russell J. Stoll	306
Blanks	646

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Total	4,040
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## BOARD OF HEALTH

Allen E. Peterson, Jr.	1,109
Robert J. George	475
Paul W. Shell	242
Blanks	194

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Total	2,020
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## TRUSTEE OF SANDWICH PUBLIC LIBRARY

Beryl A. O'Connell	1,353
William A. Warren	1,337
William R. Collins	919
Kenneth N. S. Ferguson	637
Blanks	1,814

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Total	6,060
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## TRUSTEE OF WESTON MEMORIAL FUNDS

John Field	1,552
Eugene Morrow	1
Blanks	467
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Total	2,020

TRUSTEE OF CLARK HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING  
VETERAN

Ernest Oetinger	858
Robert A. Quirk	842
Blanks	320
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Total	2,020

## PLANNING BOARD

Chester E. Cross	1,389
Ernest Oetinger	1
Henry Buckley	1
Blanks	629
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Total	2,020

## SANDWICH HOUSING AUTHORITY

Elizabeth Currier	1,629
Blanks	391
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Total	2,020

## Question #1

Shall Ferdinand L. Alvezi incumbent in the position of Chief of the Sandwich Fire Department, be granted tenure pursuant to section One Hundred and Twenty-Six to One Hundred and Thirty-Two, inclusive of Chapter 41 of the General Laws?

Yes	1,435
No	467
Blanks	118
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Total	2,020

## Question #2

Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano?

Yes	1,281
No	654
Blanks	85
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Total	2,020

A true record of the Annual Town Meeting and Election of 1975.

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk



# RECOUNT OF VOTES CAST FOR THE OFFICES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND TRUSTEE OF CLARK-HADDAD MEMORIAL BUILDING AT THE ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION OF MAY 8, 1975.

Pursuant to duly filed Recount Petitions, the Board of Registrars met at the Town Hall at 9:00 A.M. on May 24, 1975 and proceeded to recount the votes cast for School Committee and Trustee of Clark Haddad Memorial Building, on May 8, 1975.

## Those Present Were:

Board of Registrars	Representing Mr. Kudera
Niilo R. Ahonen	Joseph A. Kudera
Ida D. O'Brien	Representing Mr. Quirk
Edward F. Montague, Jr.	Robert A. Quirk
Channing E. Hoxie	Janice C. Quirk
Representing Mrs. Savel	William Tyback
Paula Savel	Representing Mr. Oetinger
Kent B. Savel	Ernest A. Oetinger

The result of the Recount was as follows:

## School Committee for Three Years

Stanley A. Torrey had Seven Hundred Eighty Seven Votes	787
Richard James Buckland, Jr. had Three Hundred Forty Six Votes	346
Joseph A. Kudera had Five Hundred Ninety Eight Votes	598
Lorraine A. Lupone had Five Hundred Seventeen Votes	517
William P. McBride, Jr. had Two Hundred Sixty Five Votes	265
Paula Savel had Five Hundred Seventy Five Votes	575
Russell J. Stoll had Three Hundred and Two Votes	302
J. Jillson had Two Votes	2
J. Earle had One Vote	1
J. Foley had One Vote	1
Ernest Ciafella had One Vote	1
Blanks	645
Total Votes Cast	4,040

Trustee of Clark Haddad Memorial Building for Three Years	
Ernest A. Oetinger had Eight Hundred Fifty Six Votes	856
Robert A. Quirk had Eight Hundred Forty Eight Votes	848
George Fernandez had One Vote	1
J. Foley had Two Votes	2
Ernest Ciafella had One Vote	1
Blanks	312

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Total Votes Cast

2,020

The Recount was completed at 2:30 P.M.

A True Record Attest:

CHANNING E. HOXIE

Town Clerk, Town of Sandwich

# Report of the Special Town Meeting

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**MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 1975**

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by the Moderator, Mr. William A. Bullock.

By unanimous vote the complete reading of the Warrant was dispensed with.

ARTICLE 1: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the construction of a sidewalk on Route 6A from Liberty Street to the new location of the Post Office, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,200.00 for the construction of a sidewalk on Route 6A from Liberty Street to the new location of the Sandwich Post Office.

ARTICLE 2: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the construction of a sidewalk on Water Street from Shawme Road to the Henry T. Wing School, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$12,000.00 for the construction of a sidewalk on Water Street from Shawme Road to the Henry T. Wing School. This was a Voice Vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to reconstruct the entrance of Old County Road on Route 6A in accordance with a proposed State layout plan to correct a dangerous traffic situation, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: This Article was voted by voice vote and declared Not Carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be paid to Whitman and Howard, Inc., Engineers, for an updated feasibility report of the Town's proposed Sewerage System, or do anything relative thereto.



VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 to be paid to Whitman and Howard, Inc., Engineers, for an updated feasibility report of the Town's proposed sewerage system. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money and to transfer a sum of money from the Fire Station Building account to cover the cost of reshingling the roof of the main Fire Station on Route 6A, Sandwich or do anything else relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$2,000.00 and transfer and appropriate \$3,000.00 from the Fire Station Building Account to cover the cost of reshingling the roof of the original main Fire Station on Route 6A, Sandwich.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to construct a parking lot on North Shore Boulevard in connection with the East Sandwich Town Beach, or do anything relative thereto.

VOTED: Article 6 was voted by a hand vote; 93 yes, 110 no. This Article was declared defeated by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund deposited in a Special Savings Account and appropriate the money for the purchase of a 3/4 Ton Pickup Truck for the Fire Department and to authorize the trade-in of the 1970 Pickup Truck as part payment of the purchase, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town transfer and appropriate \$5,500.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund on deposit in a special savings account for the purchase by the Fire Department, with the approval of the Selectmen, of a 3/4 Ton Four Wheel Drive Pickup Truck and to authorize the trade-in of the 1970 Pickup Truck toward the purchase price.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to increase the size of the School Committee from the present membership of six to seven Members, as authorized in Chapter 41, Section 1, of the Massachusetts General Laws, or do anything relative thereto. (By Petition)



VOTED: That the Town authorize the increase in the membership of the School Committee from the present membership of six to seven members. The seventh member to be elected at the 1976 Annual Election for a three-year term and each succeeding three years, as covered in Chapter 41, Section 1, of the Massachusetts General Laws. This was a voice vote and declared carried by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be transferred to the Stabilization Fund, or do anything relative thereto.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$1,025,000.00 to be added to the Stabilization Fund.

The Meeting was declared adjourned at 8:40 P.M. by the Moderator.

Attest:

CHANNING E. HOXIE  
Town Clerk

## Report of the Planning Board

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

Planning Board Meetings were held on the first, second and third Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p.m. It was a rare meeting when all five members were not in attendance. It was also unusual if there were not several interested citizens present. The Board invites the regular attendance and participation of all residents.

Due to the continued slow real estate market, subdivision activity in the Town requiring the approval of the Planning Board was relatively quiet this year. Many plans designated "approval not required" were brought to the Board for endorsement and verification that approval of the Board was, in fact, not required.

A great deal of time and energy this year was devoted to the problems of non-conforming businesses and existing residences especially along the East Sandwich portion of Route 6A. The last annual town meeting/discussion of present zoning treatment in that area and throughout the Town of non-conforming uses was treated by the Board as a mandate to consider the problem. Many evenings of discussion, specially called public meetings and research were devoted to finding a resolution which satisfied the interests of the Town, the businesses and the residents of the affected areas. We are especially pleased with the article to be presented on this matter.

This year marks the conclusion of a long and distinguished contribution to the Planning Board and the Town by John Coe. The Senator from Forestdale was instrumental in the enactment of zoning in Sandwich and has devoted tremendous effort over the years to the work of the Board. We note his retirement with many thanks for a job well done.

At the present and in the coming months, the Board will be working on a plan for the inevitable development of the business zone between Route 6A and Tupper Road. With the

scheduled construction of Angelo's and the anticipation of many satellite businesses, the Board is considering several ideas on how to encourage the orderly and attractive growth of this zone.

Respectfully submitted,

JONATHAN D. FITCH

JOHN COE

DAVID ALLEN

CHESTER CROSS

WILLIAM BRYDEN

## Report of Board of Appeals and Sign Code Board of Appeals

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

A total of 58 applications for Appeals Board public hearing were advertised. Fifty-six of these were heard, as two were withdrawn before the hearing. The breakdown was as follows: 41 Special Permits granted, 2 Special Permits not granted; 10 variances granted; 3 variances not granted; 2 Special Permits turned down without prejudice; and one hearing was an appeal of a decision of the Building Inspector. The decision was in favor of the applicant.

Two decisions were appealed in court. On Petition No. 75-7, a variance of the side line was granted to the Town of Sandwich. This was appealed in Superior Court by the direct abutter. The court upheld the Board's decision.

Petition No. 75-12 for a variance to conduct a commercial business in a residential area was not granted. The applicant appealed in District Court. After many postponements of court hearings, the appeal was withdrawn by the applicant.

The first and only application for a Sign Code Board of Appeals public hearing was advertised and heard. This was for a Special Permit to erect an off-premise sign. The permit was granted.

The members of the Board wish to express thanks to Mrs. Palmer for her untiring efforts as secretary to the Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ROBERTI, Chairman  
ROLAND DeCONTO, Vice Chairman  
ANN SULLIVAN  
JOHN HARVEY  
EDWARD W. OSGOOD, JR.  
PETER CLOSSON, Alternate  
PETER BONIFACE, Alternate



## Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission

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Two hundred years ago, Cape Codders were trying to decide whether they should continue their loyalty to the King or join in a rebellion to gain freedom for the Colonies. While revolutionary fervor ran high, many were reluctant to turn their backs to the mother country, remaining staunch loyalists. Cape Cod towns continue to reserve the right to individuality maintaining the Cape as a strong-hold of home rule. Yet, the concept of home rule is expanding towards a regional meaning in response to growing pressures of Federal and State authority as well as increasing demands on limited local services.

### **A Quiet Revolution**

This past year, the Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission has received funds for two federally funded programs of considerable potential impact on the Cape as a region — the 208 Wastewater Management Planning Program and the Coastal Zone Management Program. The Commission has stressed the importance of citizen participation in these two programs. Other far-reaching programs are now under consideration by the State and Federal government geared to establishing growth policies and land use planning on the regional and local level. All of these programs are seeking a local consensus that will determine the future growth and development of Cape Cod.

Cape residents and public officials have begun to sense the importance of these programs and their cumulative effects. A growing number of citizens are attending public meetings on regional issues and officials have responded promptly to requests for appointments to citizen advisory committees. The Commission has established a series of citizen committees during the past year which are dealing effectively with the requirements of these programs and, more importantly, are beginning to approach the development of a public consensus on basic regional priorities.

The growing awareness of citizens and public officials has begun a quiet revolution of regional concerns. This awareness and willingness to participate in the planning and decision making process will provide a basis for shaping the Cape's future as new programs and new demands arise.

### **208 Program: Developing Water Quality Guidelines**

Clean water for drinking and for recreation is a resource vital to the Cape's economy and quality of life. The 208 Wastewater Management Planning Program on Cape Cod is designed to involve the public in determining the most acceptable means of protecting our water resources. The program will develop guidelines for water quality management based on the limitations of our water resources and citizen priorities. Means of implementing these guidelines will also be determined by the planning-citizen participation process.

The Amendments to the Water Pollution Control Act of 1972 provide for area-wide planning programs designed to broaden the approach to wastewater management problems from a local to a regional level. At the present time water quality problems are addressed on a town-by-town basis on Cape Cod. With the designation of Cape Cod as a 208 planning area last spring, towns agreed to cooperate in developing an areawide approach to the Cape's wastewater management problems. The Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission was granted \$350,000 by the Environmental Protection Agency in June and the two-year planning program is now in its beginning stages.

A 208 Citizens Advisory Committee composed of locally appointed representatives and interested citizen groups has been formed to provide citizen guidance in the development of the program. Technical advice will be offered throughout the program by a Technical Advisory Committee made up of specialists in the water quality field representing involved agencies at the federal, state, regional and local level, as well as from private educational and research institutions. In addition, active public participation is sought through public meetings held on a quarterly basis.

There are four major aspects of the 208 program that will be conducted concurrently by the program consultants and planning staff. Information and alternatives generated will be reviewed by the Citizens and Technical Advisory Com-

mittees and interested citizens. The response and priorities of these groups will thus shape the continued work in these four areas.

Defining water quality problem areas and determining what areas may develop water quality problems will be one of the first major tasks of the 208 program. This data base will indicate the water quality constraints that must be considered in developing an approach to wastewater management.

How we use our land on Cape Cod is particularly important to the quality of our groundwater resource and also has significant impacts on our recreational waters. Alternative land use plans geared particularly to water quality-related problems will be developed.

As the 208 program defines existing and potential water quality problems, it must explore how these problems should be managed. Alternative methods of control for each of the defined problems will be presented and evaluated.

The major pollution problem on Cape Cod is the disposal of wastewater from houses, business and public facilities. The problems of sewage treatment facilities and of septic tank disposal will be studied intensively in the 208 program. Both structural alternatives such as constructing sewage treatment facilities, and non-structural alternatives, such as zoning changes will be offered for public consideration.

The importance of the 208 program cannot be over-emphasized. Barnstable voters overwhelmingly demonstrated their concern for the Cape's water resources with support of the USGS Water Inventory question in the 1974 referendum. The USGS study (which is progressing as scheduled) will provide us with critical information on the dynamics of the Cape's groundwater system. The 208 program will develop a means of protecting that system and our recreational waters from pollution. These two complimentary programs will provide us with a uniquely improved capability to prevent future water quality and quantity problems before they develop.

#### **701 Program: Continuing a Comprehensive Approach**

The Commission, since its inception in 1965, has been the recipient of an annual Housing and Urban Development Comprehensive Planning grant designed to coordinate all



functional planning areas such as transportation, land use, economic development, water resources and open space.

Providing information to the public and its elected officials is one of the Commission's major community services under this program. The Commission's information efforts include:

- a bi-weekly Newsbriefs to CCPEDC members, County Commissioners, Cape legislators, Selectmen, newspapers, and radio stations.
- news releases on Commission activities.
- "Information Resources Guide" identifying CCPEDC data resources available to the public.
- Statistical data series and other information resources utilized to provide information to the public on request.
- "Legislative Summary" outlining legislation of special importance to the Cape.
- Information papers on issues of regional concern such as historic preservation funds and the Federal Flood Insurance Program.

The Commission through its staff provides professional planning assistance on request to town officials and boards. Nearly all 15 Cape towns have utilized this service since the program began in 1974. During this past year the Commission has:

- assisted the Town of Wellfleet in a complete revision of its zoning by-law.
- developed applications for the Towns of Harwich and Mashpee which resulted in \$50,000 to each town from HUD for community development projects.
- assisted many towns in applying for funding under a number of Federal and State programs.
- prepared amendments to town zoning, subdivision regulations, by-laws and other regulations.
- created "Planning Reports," an information newsletter circulated to all local planning board members addressing Cape Cod planning issues.

To better involve citizens in planning and to further expand the resources of the Commission in carrying out the 701 related activities, citizen advisory committees have been created in the areas of transportation planning, environment, Coastal Zone Management and economic develop-



ment. The committees, comprised of individuals with special interest or expertise, many appointed by Town Selectmen and Planning Boards, develop policy recommendations and provide guidance to the Commission.

The Commission has also prepared under the guidance of a consultant, a public opinion survey that will soon be administered to a randomly selected sample of Cape Cod voters. The survey will help the Commission gain insight into popular priorities on regional issues and the major areas of citizen concern.

### **Economic Development: Finding Ways to Deal with the Problem**

The nation's economic ills have seriously affected the economy of Cape Cod which has traditionally suffered the problem of unemployment and underemployment. Unemployment has remained high throughout the past year with traditional improvement during the summer tourist season. Given the complexities and immensely adverse economic conditions, the Commission concluded this year, that considerable regional resources must be rallied to even begin to approach the problem.

The Commission in conjunction with the Boards of Selectmen formed the Cape Cod Joint Committee on Economic Development, a group of action-oriented Cape Cod businessmen. The Committee which is in the early stages of development has enthusiastically begun a series of projects including:

- an inventory of land zoned for light industry to assist businessmen considering locating on Cape Cod.
- an off-Cape business sub-group to determine means of attracting business to Cape Cod.
- a transportation sub-group to find ways of insuring adequate access to maintain businesses on Cape Cod.
- a communication sub-group to provide information to the public on the importance of economic development and what it can mean to the Cape.

Through the efforts of the Commission, Barnstable County has been designated as an economic redevelopment area making all Cape towns eligible for Economic Development Administration funds. These funds are designed to develop local community projects that will provide local jobs.

The Commission continues to provide under its Economic Development Administration grant:

- technical assistance to town economic development committees.
- assistance to businessmen in marketing and expansion studies.
- economic data maintained for public use.

### **Transportation Planning: Making it Easier to Get Around**

The Commission is participating in a cooperative transportation planning process with the Massachusetts Executive Office of Transportation and Construction and the Department of Public Works. All Cape towns participate in the planning process through representation on the Cape Cod Joint Transportation Committee.

One of the major activities of the CCJTC and transportation planning staff this past year was pursuing means of maintaining rail freight service to Cape Cod. This service is a vital factor in the Cape's economy, ease and safety of material access and environment. A rail use survey was conducted in cooperation with the State Office of Transportation and Construction and the information obtained was helpful in illustrating the Cape's needs to the General Court and to the Governor. In the last week of the year, the General Court passed a Transportation Bond Issue which insures the subsidy of the Cape's rail lines for two years, purchase of the rail right of way and upgrading of the track from 10 mph currently to a 25 mph service level.

Other important issues addressed by the CCJTC in 1975 were:

#### **Highways and Roads**

- Successful restoration of four lanes on Rt. 6 in Eastham with reduced speed limit.
- Provision for an interchange at the intersection of Freeman's Way and Rt. 6 in Brewster now under consideration.
- Extension of Old Town House Road which would provide an East-West connector between Rt. 132 in Hyannis and Rt. 134 in Dennis.

#### **Public Transportation**

- The CCPEDC and Cape-Islands Home Care Inc. worked together to prepare a successful application securing funds

from the U.S. Department of Transportation for transporting elderly and handicapped residents to medical facilities and doctor's offices throughout the County.

- The CCPEDC is presently analyzing whether increased public transportation is a practical possibility for Barnstable County under a grant from the Urban Mass. Transportation Administration. Upon approval of a feasible five-year program by the U.S. Department of Transportation, towns will become eligible for 80% Federal funding for capital equipment such as buses or vans. The program is examining the following areas:

- a. new or improved public transportation services with special emphasis on the needs of elderly and handicapped.

- b. capital equipment required to provide new and improved services.

- c. how new and improved services could be provided.

- d. Five-Year Financial Plan identifying town, State and Federal shares for operating costs incurred in providing the services identified in the program.

### **Coastal Zone Management: Taking part in planning**

The Commission receives funds from the State Office of Coastal Zone Management to provide technical planning information on Cape Cod and to coordinate public participation in the development of the State management plan. A CZM Advisory Committee made up of representatives from each town is providing guidance to the Commission's citizen participation efforts.

The Commission has emphasized the importance of local participation in the program which may encompass the entire Cape Cod area. In coordinating this participation, the Commission hopes, in particular, to encourage State responsiveness to the special needs and concerns of Cape Cod residents.

### **A Revolution of Regionalism**

While each Cape Cod town has its unique problems and assets, there are considerable opportunities for sharing common experience and developing unified approaches. The Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission is the forum for this process and is an increasingly effective tool for community and regional problem solving. The Commission and the regional concept can open new opportunities for town governments and for citizens in setting the course of Cape Cod's future.



## Report of the Building Inspector

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The estimated value of building permits issued for the year 1975 was \$3,997,500.00 as against \$4,540,086.00 for the year 1974, a decrease of approximately  $\frac{1}{2}$  million dollars.

There were 354 permits issued, including the permits issued for signs, occupancy permits and certificates of inspection. Seven less permits were issued for new dwellings.

The fees collected and paid to the Town Treasurer amounted to \$5,558.50, an increase of \$1,852.50 over last year.

Permits were issued as follows:

- 126 dwellings
- 92 additions
- 26 alterations
- 7 garages
- 33 signs
- 28 occupancy permits (for which a \$5 fee was collected)
- 18 Certificates of inspection (New State Code require't)
- 24 miscellaneous (fireplaces, swimming pool, etc.)

Occupancy permits for new dwellings (including buildings begun last year totaled 92.

My sincere thanks to all the inspectors in the Building Department office and to the Fire Chief for their fine cooperation in the processing of occupancy permits and regular inspections. Also to all the girls in the various departments for their help in many ways; to the Selectmen for their understanding of the many problems of the Department; and especially to Deputy Inspector Lester Geary and Mrs. Helen Palmer for their valued assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

SVEN E. HANSON  
Building Inspector



## Report of the Gas Inspector

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

I hereby submit my annual report as Gas Inspector for 1975.

There were 163 permits issued in 1975 for the installation of gas services and appliances.

During the past year the Commonwealth of Massachusetts through the Massachusetts Gas Regulatory Board has once again revised the Gas Code, which took effect on February 1, 1975 to be known as the Massachusetts Fuel Gas Code. I am pleased to report that most of the installers kept abreast of the changes, facilitating enforcement of the Gas Code.

Monthly meetings are held in Barnstable by the Cape Cod Gas Inspectors Association which have been quite helpful and informative. Situations run into by various Inspectors and interpretation of various aspects of the Code are discussed informally.

I would like to thank the citizens of the town, the various contractors and installers, and in particular Mrs. Helen Palmer and Mr. Edward Montague for their cooperation during 1975.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER T. FAGNANT  
Gas Inspector

## Report of the Plumbing Inspector

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Another year 1975 has passed with continued decline in the number of sewage disposal and plumbing permits issued by this office, but not at as rapid a decline as in 1974.

There were 215 plumbing permits issued in 1975 as compared to 230 for 1974, a decline of approximately 6%. There were 322 inspections made at various states of completion.

There were 179 sewage disposal permits issued in 1975 compared with 206 in 1974, a decline of 13% from 1974.

There were no major changes in our State Plumbing Code which, I believe, gives adequate protection to a person building a new home.

As always, at this time I wish to thank everyone who has worked with me in 1975 and let us all hope for better conditions in 1976.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. MONTAGUE

Plumbing Inspector

## Report of the Tree Warden and Insect Pest Control Superintendent

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

This is my twenty-fourth annual report as Tree Warden for the Town of Sandwich. Forty-five trees were planted to replace elms this year. Due to hardtop taking over our streets and grass strips, it is getting difficult to plant trees on some of the roadsides. Vandalism still seems to be a problem in some areas of town, so we are planting larger caliper trees. Trees planted were lindens, Shade Master locust, October Glory maples, London Plane, honey locust, and flowering trees under utility wires. Last summer, due to the dry weather, a lot of time was spent watering new trees.

Under Chapter 87 "Public Shade Trees Defined" §7: "Towns may appropriate money to be expended by the Tree Warden in planting shade trees in the public ways, or, if he deems it expedient, upon adjoining land, at a distance not exceeding twenty feet from said public ways, for the purpose of improving, protecting, shading or ornamenting the same; provided that the written consent of the owner of such adjoining land should first be obtained." A number of trees were planted this year under this provision, especially in the wall-to-wall hardtop areas, as this seems to be the trend in historic Sandwich. This spring and fall we will be planting more trees. Anybody who would like a tree under this twenty-foot setback arrangement, please let the Tree Warden know.

In the past year thirty-two trees were removed because of Dutch Elm Disease. I attended the Massachusetts Tree Wardens' and Foresters' Association meeting in February in Danvers. Dr. Edward Kondo of the Great Lakes Forest Research Center, Saulte St. Marie, Ontario, Canada, gave a talk on Canadian experiences with Dutch Elm therapy by root injections of Benomyl phosphate solutions. He reported some success on the smaller elm trees — twelve to fourteen inch caliper, but they seem to have trouble with the larger trees' taking up enough of the material. At first they started in-



jecting the trunk of the trees three feet up from the ground, which didn't seem to work; then they went to the root flare with more success, and to circumferential root injections with still more success. This system is very promising with the smaller trees, particularly in park situations where hand digging can be done in a circle all around the tree. Nobody has been trained in this country for this system; it hasn't been used here yet and special training is necessary before it can be used. However, there are very few Town elm trees for which the system could be used because so many Sandwich trees are surrounded by sidewalks or roads. This Department will experiment with the flare injection this year for a few selected trees and hope for significant success. I will also be planting a few elm trees this year, assuming I can find some good sized trees, and will be locating them so that the roots will be accessible should treatment be necessary.

At the present time this Department is continuing its spray program for Dutch Elm Disease, using Methoxychlor as recommended by the Shade Tree Lab of the University of Massachusetts.

Again this year I can report that the gypsy moth seems to be under control in the Town of Sandwich; they could flare up at any time, so we continue to watch the situation. Last fall I had a few calls regarding gypsy moths, and found they were fall web worms, which seem to be building up on the Cape. They do very little harm and are mostly objectionable because they are unsightly. If they continue to be prevalent we will prune them out or spray them.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. ELLIS

Tree Warden



# Report of the Highway Surveyor

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

I hereby submit my annual report for the fiscal half year ending December 31, 1975. The other half will run to June 30, 1976.

The work accomplished under the general maintenance program includes drainage, guard rails, patching, brushing and 200,000 square yards of roads resurfaced with oil and sand cover. Maintenance not only preserves the pavements surface, but prevents accelerated wear. It should be regarded, not as a temporary expedient, but as an investment in pavement structure and insurance against costly repair. To neglect maintenance is to invite damage with consequent expensive repairs at a later date. No pavement was ever built that did not require maintenance and it might be added that good maintenance practice takes knowhow, skill and organization.

Snow and ice control are big projects. The town is growing into a town of villages. School bus routes, fire department, police and citizens are requiring safer roads to travel over. This will require more trucks and sanders, also more men.

More work was done under special appropriation and consisted of resurfacing roads and sidewalks with Type I as follows:

## Roads

Part of Tupper Road	Factory Street
Jarvis Street Ext.	Crowell Road
Willow Street	Part of Popple Bottom Rd.
Part of Gully Lane	Town Neck Road

## Sidewalks

Both sides of Jarves Street	Liberty Street
Both sides of 6A in town	

Under the new law passed in 1974 the railroad crossings and bridges are passed on to the towns for repairs and

maintenance. The Planning Board regulations for developers regarding roads are being complied with by the majority, however, there are certain developments that have not complied with the planning board regulations regarding grading of shoulders, drainage and service of Type I. They are requesting the town to take over these roads as town ways. The families living in these developments do deserve consideration, however, I do not feel the roads are ready for the town to accept.

The cooperation and interest of the Citizens, Selectmen, and other Town Departments in the past year have been fully appreciated by this department.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. VAN BUSKIRK  
Highway Surveyor

## Report of the Town Engineer

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

I respectfully submit my report for the year 1975.

The activities of the Engineering Department were quite varied during the year. The department reviewed many of the town records and much of the information available and has prepared inventories, maps, and reports about much of this data. This material will now be readily available to the various town agencies and the general public. A new town map is presently being compiled, as is a complete listing of all the parcels of land in Sandwich. This indexing will show applicable zoning and whether or not the parcels have been built upon. A complete alphabetical listing of all the public, private and proposed streets has been completed. This list shows the length of the individual streets and the total number of miles of all categories. A pictorial catalog of the Coastal Zone of Sandwich has been prepared in conjunction with the Coastal Zone Management Program which is now in progress state-wide.

I have attended many meetings with and for the Board of Selectmen to study the various sewerage systems which might be used in Sandwich. Presently we are preparing to have our sewerage consultants hold public meetings in conjunction with the Board of Selectmen to explain the different systems which might be applicable to our situation. They will also explain the procedure which must be followed to start such a sewerage project in compliance with State and Federal regulations.

The Conservation Commission continues its development of the Ryder property and the Engineering Department is continuing to furnish technical assistance and advice as required. The department has also prepared plans and descriptions of the parcels of land that the commission is acquiring or is considering for acquisition.

The Engineering Department continues to lend technical and professional assistance to all departments upon request.

Once again, as in past years we have prepared layout plans for more than 20 streets which have been petitioned for acceptance at the annual town meeting.

I wish to again thank all the Town Departments as well as the citizens of Sandwich for their assistance and encouragement during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, P.E., R.L.S.  
Town Engineer

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## Report of the Veterans' Graves Officer

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

Veterans of "All Wars" gravesites known to me were properly decorated this Memorial Day with the aid of the Legion, Clark-Haddad Post #188 and volunteers from the Boy Scout Troop #47.

Shortly after the 4th of July the flags were taken off the gravesites as they get quite wind-blown and some are even torn which really detract from the well kept Cemeteries in Town.

We are only human and sometimes a gravesite is overlooked, and should this happen, please let me know and it surely will be corrected.

A friendly reminder to all Veterans families — to obtain a suitable headstone from the United States "free of charge" make an application with your funeral director but be sure to have the Veterans discharge paper with you.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. CURRIER  
Veterans' Graves Officer



## Department of Veterans' Services

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### District Board:

Carl Hiler, Sandwich, Chairman  
Paul Brown, Barnstable  
Charles Eager, Yarmouth  
Henry Kelley, II, Dennis  
Kevin O'Connell, Mashpee

Herewith is the 1975 Annual Report of the District Department of Veterans' Services:

Again, like in all years past, we have tried to make the Veterans' Service Department a one-stop center for veterans and their dependents.

Under Chapter 115 and 483 of the Mass. General Laws, we aid, assist, advise, file claims and explore each avenue of resource and revenue for these veterans and dependents.

The Department of Veterans' Services during 1975 handled 6,645 visits to our office and 6,759 incoming telephone calls. In each case, our personnel have tried to treat them with courtesy and dignity as human beings.

Enclosed is a report from the Investigator, Sidney L. Chase.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. CROSS

Director and Veterans' Agent

## Report of the Investigator

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As Investigator of this Department, it is my responsibility to establish eligibility on each case through investigation.

During these investigations, I also try to find avenues that the veterans can follow to receive the means of support through: Employment, Unemployment Compensation, Workmen's Compensation, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Social Security, Veterans' Compensation, Veterans' Pension or Widow's Pension.

Therefore, I must keep abreast of all laws governing these agencies and the changes in said laws.

Respectfully submitted,

SIDNEY L. CHASE

Investigator

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## Report of the Civil Defense Director

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Board of Selectmen  
Town Hall  
Sandwich, Mass.

The Annual Report of the Sandwich Civil Defense Agency is submitted herewith.

During the past year the Director attended a three day seminar involving Civil Defense Directors from the Southeastern Massachusetts region. The agenda focused on present day services of Civil Defense particularly its role in the area of natural disasters.

A mock exercise "Snowstorm '75" was held in November involving all communities in the southeastern Massachusetts region. The goal of this exercise was to ascertain the emergency preparedness posture of the Civil Defense organization,

and to assess operational problems if this section was hit by a crippling snow storm.

In evaluating this exercise from the local standpoint it was felt that communications with town departments in the field, other than police and fire, could pose substantial problems in the event of a very real emergency due to a lack of communications equipment.

Once again the matter of installing a community radio setup to service all town departments, exclusive of police and fire, is recommended. Such a community system would be extremely valuable not only in the case of a town wide emergency, but would greatly improve the overall efficiency of each town department on a day to day basis.

Regular trips were made to the Surplus Depot in Taunton during the year. Equipment was obtained for offices of the Public Health Nurse and Council for the Aging. A 10 KW generator was also obtained to replace a similar unit in the East Sandwich Fire Station.

I take this opportunity to thank the Sandwich Deputy Directors, and Mr. John Lovering, Director of Area II for their help and cooperation. The cooperation and support of town officials, departments and organizations has been most helpful and is hereby acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,

W. GORDON SWAN, Director

## Report of the Police Department

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

As Chief of Police of the Town of Sandwich, I respectfully submit my annual report for 1975.

1975 was a busy year for the Sandwich Police Department. Total complaints investigated by the department rose over 20% to 4486 from 3700 in 1974.

I am pleased to report that breaking and enterings dropped slightly in 1975, to 114 from 134 in 1974. Larcenies also dropped slightly, to 260 from 285.

Vandalism, a continuing problem, increased 30% from 165 in 1974, to 215 in 1975.

Other crimes investigated included, assault and battery 27, down from 32 in 1974, arson 3, auto theft 17, forgery 5, counterfeiting 1, buying, receiving or selling stolen property 2, carrying unlicensed firearms 2, sex offenses 2, drug violations 30. The remaining incidents were of a minor criminal, service, assistance, or non-criminal nature.

Of the 4486 complaints, Sandwich village accounted for 2309, East Sandwich 1022, Forestdale 520, South Sandwich 442 and Sagamore Beach 193.

1881 complaints occurred between 4:00 P.M. and 12 M., 1711 between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. and 894 between 12:00 M. and 8:00 A.M.

Saturday was the busiest day with 731 complaints, followed by Friday 711, Sunday 638, Monday 628, Wednesday 606, Thursday 594, and Tuesday 578.

A total of 206 arrests were made by members of the department, 131 incapacitated persons were taken into protective custody and later released or taken to the detoxification center at Pocasset.

Continuing its policy of strict enforcement of motor vehicle law, the department issued 1740 citations, of which 513 required court complaints, and 1227 were warnings.



157 motor vehicle accidents were investigated, down from 183 in 1974. One accident was fatal, 57 involved personal injury, and 104 resulted in property damage only.

Officers investigated 718 instances of suspicious persons, vehicles and incidents, answered 407 burglar and holdup alarms, served 344 summonses, and relayed 927 calls to the Dog and Conservation Officer from the Police Communications Center.

Continuing its intensive housecheck program, officers made 21,558 checks of vacant homes. 456 homes and businesses were found open during security checks.

Assistance was rendered on 898 occasions, 263 to the ambulance, 149 to the Fire Department, 178 to other police departments, 35 to other Town agencies, 14 to elderly citizens, 11 to mentally disturbed persons, 25 to homeowners, 115 to disabled motorists, 77 escorts, 9 lockouts, 15 medical assists and 7 miscellaneous.

390 Firearms ID cards were issued, along with 75 pistol permits and 3 liquor ID cards.

The department returned \$2,631.00 to the Town treasury for the sale of Firearm Licenses and copies of police reports sold to insurance companies and attorneys.

During 1975, two of the departments' better known members received promotions, Clyde S. Gill, a member of the department since 1958, was promoted to Lieutenant, and Haskell E. Hawkins, a member since 1967 promoted from Patrolman to Sergeant.

Intensifying its training efforts, Lt. Clyde S. Gill attended the Advanced Management course at Babson College, Wellesley, Sgt. Roger T. Davis completed the State prescribed course for certification as Breathalyzer operator, Det. James Stewart, Jr. completed the Crime Scene Search program at the State Police Academy, and Patrolman James R. Spofford completed the State Police Investigator's course and Patrolman Michael J. Miller completed a Drug Investigator's course sponsored by the Department of Justice. The Registry of Motor Vehicles sponsored an accident investigator's course which Patrolman James R. Spofford attended. Completing 12 week courses at the Fall River Police Academy, were Patrolmen James M. Foley and Robert L. Johnson, Jr. Attending the same course at the Barnstable County Police Academy, were James R. Spofford and Russell J. Files.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the citizens of Sandwich, the Selectmen and other Town departments and boards, other law enforcement agencies, and of course, my own officers, for the assistance and cooperation they have shown during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT D. WHEARTY, JR.  
Chief of Police

## Report of the Fire Engineers

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Board of Selectmen  
Town Hall  
Sandwich, Mass.

The Annual Report of the Sandwich Fire Department for the year 1975 is submitted herewith.

Following is a breakdown of department activities during the past year.

Building fires (approximate loss \$35,125.00)	27
Car and truck fires (approximate loss \$4,325.00)	25
Grass and woods fires (approximately 13 acres)	23
Dump fires	4
Electrical fires (other than building)	6
Miscellaneous fires	13
Mutual aid, fire and rescue	15
False alarms	4
Rescue calls	7
Investigations	145
Smoke and fire	45
Automatic alarms	38
Burning without permit	11
Motor Vehicle accidents	25
Miscellaneous	26
Assistance rendered	151
Elderly	42
First aid given	19
Cellars pumped	21
Lockouts	20
Miscellaneous	49
Washdowns gas and oil	22
Bomb scares	2
Ambulance calls	541
Standbys	31
Disaster drill	1
Oil burner installations inspected	126
Heat and smoke systems inspected	103

Again this year ambulance calls comprised the major activity of the department. Ambulance calls totalled 541, this was 119

more than the previous year or an increase of slightly more than 28%. Building, car and truck fires with an estimated loss of \$39,450.00 totalled 52 in number, one more than the previous year.

In September the department took delivery on a new modular type ambulance which meets State and Federal requirements. The former ambulance has been retained in service as a backup unit and responds in instances where simultaneous calls are received, of which there were several during the past year.

Eight members of the permanent department are now certified Emergency Medical Technicians and it is expected that several additional members will be certified during the next few months. Additionally several members of the call department have also been certified as EMT's.

During the year 303 citizens with blood pressure problems came to the station to have their blood pressure checked. This service is provided at no charge to Sandwich citizens.

During the coming year special radio equipment will be installed in the departments 2 ambulances which will provide direct communication with hospitals in the area as part of the Emergency Radio Communications System for Cape Cod. Equipment for the new ambulance will be underwritten by a special grant. Funds to equip the backup ambulance with similar equipment are being requested in the department budget.

Several members of the permanent department will be enrolled in the next paramedics course. This intensive course will enable these men to provide emergency treatment beyond the extent for which they are now qualified. This will include use of the Lifepak IV monitor-defibrillator.

In February the Selectmen were advised by the Insurance Services Office that an analysis of Sandwich fire defenses had been completed. As a result of this analysis the town was graded Class 5 rather than Class 8. This represents an improvement in the towns fire protection and affects insurance rates on certain classes of property. The minimum dwelling rate for the town also improved from Grade D to Grade C.

During the year a tank truck of 2400 gal. capacity was purchased from Crowell Construction and adapted for department use. The unit replaces the tanker now housed at the East Sandwich station.



A new  $\frac{3}{4}$  ton pickup truck was purchased in the fall, replacing the former chief's patrol truck and equipped as an emergency rescue and fire attack vehicle. This unit is currently stationed in Forestdale.

A Squad truck obtained from government surplus through Civil Defense was overhauled and painted by the permanent fire fighters providing a utility truck for general department use. A 10 kw generator was also obtained through surplus to replace the generator at Station 2 for which replacement parts are no longer available.

A new air horn was installed at the headquarters station in September replacing the siren which had become inoperable in severe weather conditions. While currently in use, adjustments are being made by the supplier to improve the whistle's efficiency and range of coverage.

The three overhead doors on the original part of the Sandwich station were replaced with metal doors, which are electrically operated, improving not only the appearance, but also cutting down on heat loss. Funds are being requested in the budget for the forthcoming year to replace the doors in the rear section of the station which are also badly in need of replacement.

The roof of the headquarters station was reshingled in the fall, and none too soon for several bad leaks had developed. New siding was also installed on the east side of the rear ell.

The trim on both the outside stations was painted by men assigned to coverage of these stations during the summer months.

The power distribution panel at the Sandwich station was rewired to correct an overloading situation and the former radio transmitter was installed for emergency use as recommended in the Insurance Services Office survey.

A new communications console was placed in operation in March. This unit was installed in one of the offices previously used by the Police department. The reception area was refurbished by the permanent men, making for a marked improvement. The new arrangement has proved to be extremely efficient in the handling of department communications. The dispatchers report is indicative of the volume of traffic currently being handled.

Radio transmissions logged	9984
Telephone calls received	6478
Calls received on emergency line	910

Calls made out	2079
Persons in on business	6806
Routine business logged	2180
Calls intended for other town departments	134
Water department calls received	29
Water department alarms received	31
Oil burner permits to install issued	126
Cook fire permits issued	221
Brush fire permits issued	441
Red light permits issued by Chief	10
Rocket launching permits issued by Chief	8
Gun powder storage permits issued by Chief	5
L.P. Gas storage permits issued by Chief	1
Directions given	194
Information given	253

Funds are being requested in the budget for the next fiscal year for 3 full time dispatchers to handle the increasing amount of traffic and to cover the department communications on a 24 hour basis.

During the past year several members of both the call and permanent force attended courses in various phases of fire fighting. Additionally men from both these groups attended special courses, which subject to their passing written and practical examinations will qualify them as certified Emergency Medical Technicians.

In early summer two CETA trainees were authorized. These men have worked regular shifts with the permanent fire fighters.

Due to the amount of new building in the Forestdale and South Sandwich sections, and the fact that this area is not served by the Water District, a suitable tank truck is being sought for use out of the Forestdale station.

The present 750 gallon pumper now stationed in Forestdale has been in service for almost 20 years and consideration must soon be given to replacing it with a more modern and efficient unit.

In planning adequate fire protection for the outlying sections of the town, the Board of Engineers propose to have a first line pumper, tank truck and brush breaker housed in the East Sandwich and Forestdale stations. These units together with an emergency rescue and fire attack truck should provide basic protection in these areas.

It is believed that in the not too distant future that a station will be justified to serve the area which includes the Lakefield Farms and Holly Ridge developments as well as the several camps which are located in this section. Land in this area should be obtained while available for future construction of a two bay station.

We once again remind townspeople when reporting a fire or other emergency to give their name, address, telephone number and type of emergency. This information is necessary to provide proper and immediate response to your call.

The Board of Fire Engineers and the Chief take this opportunity to thank town officers and officials for their cooperation and to express the appreciation of the department to neighboring communities for their assistance through mutual aid.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE CRAWFORD, Chairman  
W. GORDON SWAN, Clerk  
EUGENE MORROW  
FOSTER WILLOUGHBY  
C. BERNARD JONES  
FERDINAND L. ALVEZI, Chief  
Board of Fire Engineers

## Forest Warden Department

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Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts 02563

The following report of the Forest Warden's Department is herewith submitted for the calendar year Jan. 1-75 through Dec. 31-75.

Below is the breakdown of alarms responded to and other activities of the Forest Warden Department.

Woods, Brush and Grass Fires	23
(Approximately 15 acres)	
Dump Fires	4
Smoke Investigations	21
Cooking Permits Issued	221
Brush Burning Permits Issued	411
Burning Violations	15

There were no major brush or woods fires in town this year. The majority of the 23 alarms responded to were contained to one half acre or less. However we did respond on Mutual Aid calls to Bourne, Plymouth and Otis Air Force Base for major fires.

The Massachusetts Department of Environmental Health is going to allow limited open burning for one month starting Feb. 15-75 to Mar. 15-76. This will also be duplicated for the same time period in 1977.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the other Town Departments and townspeople who assisted me during the past year. Also the other Fire Departments of other towns who responded to our calls for Mutual Aid.

Respectfully submitted,

FERDINAND L. ALVEZI,

Forest Warden



## Report of the Shellfish Constable

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

During July of 1975, 100 bushels of large quahogs were planted in the Old Harbor Area at a total cost of \$700.00. The quahogs were planted in Mill Creek, Parsonage Creek, Ox Pasture Creek and Springhill Creek.

In October, 75 bushels of mixed oysters were planted in Mill Creek, Parsonage Creek and Ox Pasture Creek at a total cost of \$675.00.

In November of 1975, the area was opened on Sundays only for the taking of mussels, quahogs and oysters. The taking of soft-shelled clams was not permitted. The area closed on the last Sunday in December, but will re-open on Sundays only during the months of March and April.

Thanks again to the men who volunteered their services in the planting of the shellfish.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE H. MORROW,  
Shellfish Constable

## Report of the Dog & Conservation Officer

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

Herewith submitted is the annual report for the activities  
of the Town of Sandwich Dog Officer:

Dog and Conservation calls	1,306
Dogs impounded	206
Lost dogs returned	170
Dogs turned over to M.S.P.C.A.	36
Dogs licensed	1,175
Dog bites	31
Guinea Pig bite	1
Dog accidents (injured or killed)	17
Warnings issued	377
Court Actions	7
Complaints	703

As of December 31, 1975, there were 1,175 licensed dogs, an annual increase of 149. Every effort is being made to find those whose dogs are not licensed. All dogs must be licensed by the tenth of June or the owners or keepers are subject to Court Action.

For all stray dogs picked up there will be a five dollar pick up fee, plus two dollars per day for custody and care. If the dog is not licensed then one must be purchased at the Town Hall, before the release of dog. Repeated complaints and picking up of unrestrained dogs will result in Court Action.

Fees collected for 1975 for pick up and custody and care amounted to \$1,311.00. Court fees amounted to \$125.00. Please be considerate of your neighbor by keeping your dog restrained or by walking it on a leash.

Also, herewith is the 1975 report of the Fish and Game Conservation Officer:

Conservation calls	214
Dear killed	8

Deer chased by dogs	5
Skunks destroyed (distemper)	8
Raccoons destroyed (distemper)	5
Cow killed	1
Injured seagulls	6
Motorboat annoyance complaints (excessive speed)	
fresh water ponds	12
Lobster complaints	18
Fresh water fishing complaints	3

In the performance of my duties as Dog and Conservation Officer, I have logged over 17,000 miles in the year 1975.

I would like to thank the following for their assistance:

The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
The Fire and Police Department's Personnel  
The Conservation Commission  
The M. S. P. C. A.

Also, I'd like to thank the residents of the Town of Sandwich for their support which makes it easier to perform my duties effectively.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS G. SILVA

Dog and Conservation Officer

## Report of the Conservation Commission

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

Much of the work of the Commission in 1975 was directed to the further development of the new recreation site in South Sandwich on Wakeby Lake (the former Ryder property). With our own work crew, augmented by four CETA workers and other help as needed, entrance and exit roads, ten to twelve feet wide, were made from the South Sandwich Road entrance. They were cleared, gravelled and brushed out for at least fifty feet on each side. In laying out these roads, care was taken to preserve large valuable trees. Dead trees were removed, limbs pruned from others where indicated and the woodchips stockpiled. The roads lead to and from a large parking area near the lake. The car park has been graded and its banks seeded. Electric and telephone lines to the bathhouse were installed underground for a distance of approximately 2300 feet.

An architect was engaged for the siting, design and supervision of the building of the bathhouse and the boat-house.

The Commission was most fortunate in securing the services of the Upper Cape Vocational School for the construction of these buildings, thereby effecting substantial savings for the town. The beach house is now closed in and shingled and the rough plumbing installed. A well has been driven and there is an electric pump and pressure tank of adequate capacity for future needs.

The beach area has been widened, fill carted in and the rough grading done.

The screen house has had new windows and frames, the side walls reshingled and the doors repaired or replaced.

Small clearings for resting and viewing have been made and nature trails have been cut along the lakeside and past the old bogs through to the beachhouse. These trails start near the screen house, the road to which has been improved, the sides brushed out and a small parking area rough-graded near the entrance.



Across the street, the nursery, opened last year, has been filled with trees and shrubs obtained from the Barnstable Conservation District and a new area opened, on which was spread the topsoil from the road clearing. An entry road to the nursery was made and a well dug.

Five hundred trees were donated by the Barnstable County Conservation District and five hundred additional ones were purchased. Some of these were set out at Sandy Neck and the Old Harbor Beach areas. Eleven white dogwoods, the gift of the Advisory Landscape Council, were planted on Brady's Island and one red dogwood, the gift of Jonathan Shaw. Brady's Island was the scene of the annual Arts and Crafts Show in 1975.

The Commission was pleased to accept from Mrs. R. Elizabeth Bowker and Mr. J. Albert Torrey a gift of 7.6 acres of saltmarsh in the Scorton area.

Under the Wetlands Act, Chapter 131, Section 40, four public hearings were held and thirty-seven determinations of applicability were made. One Cease and Desist Order was issued.

The Commission was saddened by the death of one of its members, Daniel E. Potter, who was especially knowledgeable in the field of wetlands management.

The resignation of another valuable member, John M. Mendonza, was accepted with regret in May.

The new members of the Commission are Richard E. Canning, Jr., William H. Richards and J. Louis Roberti.

Various meetings on environmental matters were attended, including a two-day seminar on Coastal Zone Management. This is a joint Federal and State project, aimed at the better preservation and management of coastal areas, a matter of vital importance to Sandwich.

Again we wish to express our appreciation for the cooperation of the Board of Selectmen, the Town Engineer, the Highway Department and the Town Hall Staff.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ALBERT TORREY, Chairman

GARY A. NICKERSON, Vice-Chairman

MEREDITH W. BOURNE, Secretary

RICHARD E. CANNING, JR.

WILLIAM H. RICHARDS

PETER MEINL

J. LOUIS ROBERTI

## Report of the Park Department

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

The Park Department activities for the year 1975 have increased to the point where a larger crew is needed to maintain town properties each summer. This crew consists of young Sandwich men who are full time college students during the winter.

The opening of the Ryder Property in South Sandwich, on Wakeby Lake for swimming this year will be a great help to the overcrowded Snake Pond area. Snake Pond has been the only fresh water swimming area in Sandwich up until now.

One of the many varied jobs of the Park Department during the winter has been the rebuilding of the rafts for Snake Pond. These rafts are quite sturdy but the amount of use they get is fantastic. Consequently they self-destruct after a while necessitating major repairs but we plan to have them all back in the pond come June.

I would like to thank the other Town Departments for their help and cooperation during the year. Also the Selectmen for their much needed advice and most of all the men who worked on the Park Department.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND L. THAYER  
Park Foreman

## Report of the Advisory Landscape Council

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Advisory Landscape Council for the Preservation and Enhancement of the Beauty of Sandwich continued its effort to have more trees and shrubs planted along Route 6A (the Old King's Highway). The Tree Warden, William J. Ellis, planted a number of large shade trees, accounted for in his budget. Peter Meinel, the Council's Plant Consultant, and Alfred Davies, acting under the mandate of the Council and with the approval of the Selectmen, have secured permission to plant, on private property, large shade trees in the center section of the village along Route 6A. (The State does not allow trees on its land in this area.) The property owners are Mrs. Alice Phillips, Mrs. W. H. Russell, and Messrs. Anthony Taylor, Albert Keith, Robert Gianferante, William Munson (manager), John O'Brien, John Beltrandi, and Roger Freeman. The Council thanks them for their courtesy and cooperation. The cost of trees and planting is in the Tree Warden's budget.

The Council's Plant Committee (Meredith Bourne, Chairman) reported that all 100 dogwoods, both American and Kousa, offered as the Council's "Bicentennial Bouquet" to town residents at cost for planting in Sandwich, were sold, as well as half of the extra 25 trees ordered because of the demand. The leftovers were a gift of the Council — nine for Brady's Island and two for the Deacon Eldred House. To William Ellis is extended the Council's thanks for allowing the sale to be held at the Brookside Nursery and for his care of the plants.

Also with the assistance of the Tree Warden, the Council produced a float for the Bicentennial Parade. Decorated with greenery and pretty paper dogwood blossoms, the float, giving little evidence of the hours of hard work, rolled merrily along with its flower-waving passengers.

In September, the Council brought to Sandwich for the benefit of the public, at Council expense, VISION, INC., a Cambridge-based, non-profit firm, under the direction of Ronald Lee Fleming, Mr. Fleming's slide-lecture focused on



the importance to beautiful old towns like Sandwich of preserving their unique landscape and characteristic architecture. He stressed the need to control the quality, size, and number of commercial signs and to check other visual pollutants.

In the fall, the Council began the landscaping of the Deacon Eldred House property, which entailed the removal of the unsuitable foundation plantings and the extension of the brick wall (thanks for the latter are due Russell A. Lovell, Jr.). Grading, replacement of shrubs, and planting trees appropriate to the period of the house are in process. Mrs. Annie Carleton Lloyd's handsome gift of two large boxwoods already graces the front entrance.

The junipers and yews around the house, originally donations, were removed by Mr. Ellis and replanted at the monument to Dr. Beale on Beale Street and on town-owned land at the side-front of the Cumberland Farms store to replace a traffic barrier of unsightly yellow posts. This work, along with that required in the landscaping of the Deacon Eldred House grounds, is being done by Mr. Ellis and paid for by the Council out of its town-allotted budget.

Further attention of the Council to the landscape of the Town is evidenced by

(1) a meeting of members with Russell A. Lovell, Jr. Chairman of the Historical Commission, to preserve for the public the ancient Quaker meeting place, Christopher's Hollow, off Charles Street;

(2) discussions with Stanley Torrey, Chairman of the School Building Committee, on plans for landscaping school grounds, and with the principals of the schools on the possibility of engaging student assistance in the projects. David Allen has offered shrubs and trees when the schools' plans have advanced to the point of accommodating them;

(3) critical observation of unsightly areas throughout the town;

(4) attendance of committee members at town Board and Commission meetings;

(5) pressure for observation of the town sign code by-law.

The Council especially thanks Mr. Ellis, as Tree Warden, for his cooperation and the Fire Department for its help in watering newly-planted shrubs and trees.



Our paid-up membership stands at 325 individuals, 21 businesses and professions and 7 civic organizations. We are grateful for one donation of money.

With appreciation of the interest of all concerned and involved, we are

Respectfully,

The Advisory Landscape Council  
 NATALIE NORRIS, President  
 WILFRED GRAVES, Vice-president  
 MARY LINDBERG, Recording  
                   Secretary  
 CARYLL GATES, Corresponding  
                   Secretary  
 KENNETH FERGUSON, Treasurer

## Report of the Board of Health

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of Sandwich

The Board continues to meet the first of every month. Business office hours remain as they have been, 9-10 a.m. Monday thru Friday. Mr. Edward Montague will continue as the Agent for the Board and also the Plumbing Inspector. The citizens of Sandwich can contact any member of the Board as well. All complaints to the Board must be in writing and signed by the complainant in order to be properly processed. Monthly meetings and business meetings are conducted at the Town Hall. All meetings are open to the public.

The Engineering Survey of the disposal area has been completed by the Engineering firm of Whitman & Howard. The operational report is now in hand and the Board has submitted the report to the State for approval. This operational report for Solid Waste Management for the Town of Sandwich must be approved by the State Department of Environmental Quality Engineering. In 1975 and 1976 the Board has been working towards bringing this to a final satisfactory conclusion. In the 1975-76 budget we had asked the Town for the funds necessary to accomplish our goal at the Disposal Area. There has been a State law since 1971 that regulates the Disposal of Solid Wastes by sanitary landfill. The 1975 town meeting turned down the Board's request for extra funds and equipment. Our annual budget funds fell short of the necessary goal. We could not hope to comply with the State Law of 1971. We went ahead with the survey; however to the completion of the final operational report. Copies of these reports are at the Town Hall and the Sandwich Public Library for anyone interested.

The Budget for 1976-77 will ask for the funds necessary to operate the landfill according to the operational report by Whitman & Howard. The funds to keep the Solid Waste program in operation must be adequate to meet the regulations or the State will not give its approval. This would be a disastrous blow to this Board, and to the Town of Sandwich. After several meetings and a public hearing on the Disposal

Area operation the Board is confident that the people have a better understanding of the complete program. We want to handle our own affairs within the Law and do not want the State to act for us.

The Disposal Area now has a full time Supervisor. Mr. Albert Fournier has been appointed to this position. Mr. Fournier will be assisted by Milton M. Fiske. The area will continue to be closed on Wednesdays. It was necessary to close for one day each week due to lack of funds. By closing on Wednesdays we can save approximately \$10,000 per year.

The Board is pleased that the Town is finally going to act on a Municipal Sewage System.

The Board appreciates the efforts of the Barnstable County Board of Health on behalf of the Town of Sandwich. The County conducts tests of all food establishments, motels, camping areas, and ponds. The reports are then forwarded to this office with recommendations. This Board then investigates all complaints and violations which must be corrected. All establishments must meet the standards of the Board of Health. The wells of camps and motels of Sandwich are inspected by the County Board and these reports are then forwarded to this Board. Necessary action is then taken by the Board.

#### **Elected Officials**

Robert H. Ellis	Term expires 1978
Allen Peterson	Term expires 1977
Robert McKillop	Term expires 1976

#### **Appointed by the Board of Health**

John H. Lewis	Medical Consultant
Miss Esther Howes	Health Officer

#### **Director-Barnstable County Board of Health**

Leo H. Decoteau	Sanitation
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#### **Barnstable County Board of Health**

Edward F. Montague	Inspector of Plumbing & Sanitary Installation
Mrs. Hilda Whitmore	Inspector of Animals
Albert Fournier	Supervisor of Disposal Area
Milton M. Fiske	Assistant

**Licenses and Permits Issued — 1975**

Methyl Alcohol License	1
Recreation Camps-Overnight, camps-Hotels,Traller Camps-Tent camps-summer Trail Camps	28
Garbage-Offal and Pumping Cesspool Permits	16
Funeral Directors License	2
Sanitation Installer Permits	29
Swimming Pool License	7
Sanitation Permits to Install Septic Systems	179
Food Service Establishment Permits	36
Complaints Investigated	48
Burial Certificates	11
Plumbing Permits	215
International Travel Certificates	5
Subdivisions Investigated	1

The Board appreciates the assistance and cooperation of all Town Officials, the Selectmen, and other Department Heads. Special thanks to the Barnstable County Board of Health.

**Mosquito Control**

The Cape Cod Mosquito Control Project under the control of Mr. Oscar Doane, Jr. continues to have our thanks for clearing the marsh area and swamp area.

Robert McKillop's Town office expires this year. Mr McKillop has decided not to run for re-election. The Board wishes Bob well in the future. We have enjoyed working with him and will miss him. Bob was always willing to give of his time to conduct the business of the Board of Health.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. ELLIS, Chairman  
ALLEN E. PETERSON, Vice Chairman  
ROBERT MCKILLOP, Clerk



## Report of the Public Health Nurse

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and  
Citizens of Sandwich

Submitted below is my eleventh Annual Report as Public Health Nurse for the Town of Sandwich.

Home and office visits are the ever present and primary responsibilities of the Public Health Nurse. Visits are classified and include skilled nursing care, maternity care, health teaching and health supervision.

The statistical report clearly shows an increase over last year's visits and a continuing increase can be seen for the first half of this fiscal year, July 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975.

As the Public Health Nursing Department participates in the Medicare and Medicaid programs, we must comply to federal and state regulations pertaining to Home Health Agencies. Article 57 was included in the 1975 Annual Town Meeting warrant to cover regulations applicable to governing bylaws and the department's purpose for functioning.

Medicare recertification was received in February and the department was recertified in May by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health for participation in the Medicare and Medicaid Programs.

The agreement for Home Health Aide service was renewed with Cape Cod Homemaker-Home Health Aide Services, Inc. in March. Agreements with the Falmouth Nursing Association, Inc. were renewed in July for Occupational, Physical and Speech Therapy.

One very important highlight of the year was that of moving the Public Health Office to the Dunbar House. With two days to move and the weekend to arrange our new quarters in preparation for a Well Woman's Conference on Monday, it was a hectic time for all concerned. The office space was definitely needed and appreciated.

Since April, we have shared the office space with the Council on Aging's outreach worker from Cape and Islands Home Care, Inc. A good working relationship has been de-

veloped between us through coordination of our efforts in many situations.

Every third Wednesday of the month, a Social Security representative is in the office to assist the townspeople.

In December a lab technician was employed by the Sandwich Health Association to perform all routine lab work for the Well Women Conferences and space was made available for a lab workshop.

### **ADVISORY BOARD**

The Town of Sandwich Nursing Agency Professional Advisory Board held one special and four regular meetings during 1975.

The purpose of the special meeting was to finalize the proposed budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976 before it was submitted to the Board of Selectmen and Town of Sandwich Finance Committee.

Quarterly reports of the Public Health Nurse and the Record Review Committee were given at each of the regular meetings.

Revisions to the following policies were approved: Statement of Objectives; Orientation For Nursing Personnel; Job Description for Public Health Nurse Administrator, Public Health Nurse and Secretary; Personnel Policies for Public Health Nurse; Acceptance of Patient; Medical Policies.

New policies approved were: Job Description for Part Time Clerk; Evaluation of Agency; Discharge of Patient; Policies for the Governing Body; Maintenance, Retention, Protection and Release of Clinical Records.

Bylaw amendments were recommended by the Bylaw Committee and approved by the Board.

The Board of Selectmen approved the Board's recommendation to add "professional" to the name of the group to comply with one of the regulations set forth in the Conditions of Participation.

New members appointed and welcomed to the Board during the year were:

Elizabeth Beale — Representative, Council on Aging  
Helen French — Member at Large, Sandwich Health Association

Barbara MacNeil — Secretary, Sandwich Health Association

Barbara Lehner — President, Sandwich Health Association

### STATISTICAL REPORT NURSING ACTIVITIES

Public Health Nurse—	Sessions/Hours
Office Work	131/260
Conferences & Clinics	27/85
In-Service Education	23/84
Continuing Education	5/29
Workshops	3/15
Meetings	20/35
Class Instruction	1/3
Conferences & Consultation	33/17
Senior Citizen Center	9/23
Recertification Surveys	2/9
Amblyopia Rescreening	1/1
Patient Transportation	15/13
Chapter 766 Program	3/12
Community Activities	5/8
Vaccines & Supplies	11/7
Miles traveled	5,903

Part Time/Substitute Nurse —	Sessions/Hours
Office Work	108/226
Conferences & Clinics	2/5
In-Service Education	20/70
Workshop	1/2
Meetings	2/12
Record Review	2/6
Class Instruction	1/3
Visitation with P.H.N.	17/13
Senior Citizen Center	3/5
Recertification Surveys	1/3
Amblyopia Rescreening	1/1
Patient Errands	6/2
Community Activities	1/3
Miles traveled	1,538

### CONFERENCES & CLINICS

15 Well Woman Conferences	136 attended	138 visits
10 Well Children Conferences	102 attended	224 visits
2 Pre-School Conferences	45 attended	45 visits
1 Flu Clinic (4 Sessions)	274 attended	274 visits



**IMMUNIZATIONS**

DPT 1, 2, 3,	41	RUBELLA	6
DPT Boosters	26	MEASLES/RUBELLA	4
DT Boosters	18	MEASLES/RUBELLA/	
ORAL POLIO 1, 2, 3,	43	MUMPS	20
ORAL POLIO Boosters	43	TINE TESTS	59
MUMPS	18		

July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975

**NURSING VISITS**

	Office	Field	Total
Cases Admitted	15	221	236
Revisits	162	1,255	1,417
Not Home		49	49
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Total Visits	177	1,525	1,702

**VISITS BY PROGRAMS**

Maternity	111	Health Promotion	208
Disease Control	1,334	Not Home	49
		Total	1,702

**VISITS BY FEE STATUS**

Medicare	336	Blue Cross	17
Welfare	327	No Charge	714
Veterans Services	4	Not Home	49
Family	255		
		Total	1,702

**HOME HEALTH AIDE SERVICE**

No. of patients having Home Health Aides	10
Hours Home Health Aides worked	5,007.97

**THERAPY VISITS**

Physical Therapy:					
Cases admitted	10	Revisits	101	Total	111
Occupational Therapy:					
Cases admitted	4	Revisits	3	Total	7

July 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975



**NURSING VISITS**

	Office	Field	Total
Cases Admitted	16	124	140
Revisits	92	715	807
Not Home		35	35
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Total Visits	108	874	982

**VISITS BY PROGRAMS**

Maternity	53	Health Promotion	102
Disease Control	792	Not Home	35
	Total		982

**VISITS BY FEE STATUS**

Medicare (206)	Welfare (140)	Blue Cross (1)	
Family (180)	No Charge (120)	Not Home (35)	
		Total	(982)

**HOME HEALTH AIDE SERVICE**

No. of Patients having Home Health Aides	9
Hours Home Health Aides worked	1,665.5

**THERAPY VISITS****Physical Therapy:**

Cases Admitted	7	Revisits	27	Total	34
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**Occupational Therapy:**

Cases Admitted	1	Revisits	1	Total	2
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The cooperation and consideration of the Board of Selectmen, departments, organizations, volunteers and townspeople have truly been appreciated. A special thank you to the Park Department for helping us move and assistance during the year and to this department's staff for their continued cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. SILVA, R.N.  
Public Health Nurse

## Report of the Barnstable County Health Department

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A. The provision of leadership and technical skills is one of the stated purposes of the Barnstable County Health Department. This report demonstrates the efforts of the staff to improve and update their skills, to impart these skills to health workers, and to develop or augment local program activities based on staff skills.

We have agency membership in the Massachusetts Public Health Association, the Massachusetts League for Nursing, Council of Public Health Agencies, the American School Health Association and the Cape Cod Community Council. This provides us with current data on trends in public health practice, report of health department services elsewhere, information about new resources for care.

The professional staff maintain individual memberships in their respective professional organizations and in related organizations, which provides access to a widespread source of scientific information. This is not a one-way flow of data, since some of the staff hold an office in these organizations or are members of the Boards of Directors. In these situations staff contribute to others from their own experience and knowledge and they strengthen their abilities in leadership, group dynamics and public speaking. Some of these organizations are listed:

American Public Health Association, New England Public Health Association

Massachusetts Public Health Association — nominating committee

Massachusetts Health Officers Association — executive committee

National League for Nursing, Massachusetts League for Nursing

Massachusetts Environmental Health Association — Board of Directors

American Nurses Association, Massachusetts Nurses Association

National Association of Social Workers

American Association of Hospital Social Work Directors,  
Massachusetts Chapter

American Dental Hygiene Association, Massachusetts  
Dental Hygiene Association — Treasurer, Registration  
Chairman, Workshop Leader

American Physical Therapy Association — pediatric sec-  
tion

American Academy of Cerebral Palsy

American Occupational Therapy Association

Massachusetts Association of Occupational Therapy

On a local level, and related to the aims and programs of the Barnstable County Health Department, the staff are active in a more visible way: workshops for health agents, workshops for daycare operators, continuing education programs and staff meetings for public health nurses (visiting nurses, town nurses, school nurses). Staff have provided expertise, information, coordination and served as members of the following local organizations and committees:

Associated Boards of Health, Secretary and Treasurer

Barnstable County Hospital, Board of Trustees

Cape Cod Child Development Program, Inc., Executive  
Board of Health Advisory Board

Cape Cod Collaborative Committee on Implementation of  
Chapter 766

Cape Cod Community College, Health Resource Center,  
Co-chairman Advisory Committee of Community Ser-  
vices

Advisory Committee of Dental Hygiene Program, Advis-  
ory Committee of School of Nursing

Cape Cod Homemaker — Home Health Aid Service, Board  
of Directors, class instructors in orientation courses

Cape Cod Medical Social Workers

Cape Cod Mental Health Association, nominating com-  
mittee

Cape Cod National Seashore, committee on water quality/  
pond pollution

Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commis-  
sion — Technical Advisory Committee of the 208 Water  
Quality Study

Cape Cod School Nurses Association

Cape Cod Therapeutic Riding Clinic



Cape — Islands Home Care — Social Services Advisory Committee

Comprehensive Health Planning, Area Council — chairman of Committee on Community Health Clinics, Nominating Committee, Primary Care Committee

Family and Childrens Services — Professional Advisory Committee, Nominating Committee

Kelley Foundation — Scholarship Committee

Nurse Directors Committee of Cape Cod

Office for Children — Area Policy Council

Parents of Multiply Handicapped Children — advisor

Parent to Parent (March of Dimes), Board of Directors

Professional Advisory Committees of Home Health Agencies (visiting nurses, town nurses) member in Sandwich and Falmouth Nursing Association — ex-officio member in Chatham, Eastham, Harwich, Orleans, Provincetown, Wellfleet

Project for Hospital Alcoholism Coordinators — Professional Advisory Committee

Sandwich Community School Committee: committee on Handicapped Task Force on Special Needs for Children and Adults with Physical Handicaps

United Cerebral Palsy of Cape Cod — Professional Advisory Committee

And in addition to these "health-related responsibilities", staff have also been involved as concerned, civic-minded citizens on the Appeals Board, Land Committee and Chairman of the Personnel Committee in Wellfleet, and on the Appeals Board in Harwich. Some staff have actively enrolled in educational courses for their own advancement:

Bridgewater State College: — Physical Education for Exceptional Children

Cape Cod Community College: — Pre-calculus, chemistry of the environment, sociology, psychology of personality, water bacteriology

Harvard School of Public Health: — Management Skills for the Professional Nurse in Primary Health Care

Massachusetts Maritime Academy — Advanced calculus

B. This year 47 day-care centers/pre-schools/nurseries have been recommended for licensure to the Towns Boards of Health. For the first time in many years we have recommend-



ed revocation of a license and recommended no-renewal of a license. These actions were based on the strict safety requirements of the new State Building Code, and have led to a better understanding of the requirements, better working relationships with Day Care operators, Fire Chiefs and Building Inspectors, and greater protection for young children. Both situations have been resolved and are now licensed.

The public health laboratory has been expanded in size and additional equipment obtained. Although the construction of cabinets is not complete yet, and the water still, water bath, and spectrophotometer are not operable, we have begun to do additional water samples under an agreement with the "Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission 208 Waste Water Study", and will be able to do more accurate and involved chemical studies for towns and individuals and will have space to do more salt-water samples next year.

The offices of the Handicapped Childrens Clinic were moved to the southwest corner of the lower floor, the area was remodelled and redecorated, and a sizable storage area was made available to us.

We appreciate the support and confidence placed in us by the County Commissioners and the other County and Town Departments.

1975 Department personnel included:

Esther G. Howes, R.N., M.N., M.S. County Health Officer and  
Certified Health Officer

Ruth J. Alvezi, Principal Clerk

\*Willie J. Angus, R.N., Assistant Medical Social Worker

Monette Blanchard, O.T.R. Public Health Occupational Ther-  
apist, CETA employee

Mary L. Casey, R.N., MPH, Public Health Nurse Director I

Christine Castellano, R.N., Epidemiologist, Massachusetts  
Department of Public Health

Alice A. Dalzell, R.D.H., Public Health Dental Hygienist

Leo H. Decoteau, R.S., B.A., Public Health Sanitarian and  
Certified Health Officer

Mary E. Dwyer, Senior Clerk

Bonnie C. Farmer, R.N., B.S. Public Health Nurse Director II

Stetson R. Hall, R.S., B.S., Public Health Sanitarian and Cer-  
tified Health Officer

Sandra Herzberg, Junior Clerk-Stenographer

Carol M. Hunter, Head Clerk

Sandra B. Jones, Laboratory Technician

Joan Lawless, A.S. Senior Clerk-Stenographer

Judith A. McNamara, M.S.W. Assistant Medical Social  
Worker

Elizabeth Maginnis, M.S., ACSW, Medical Social Worker

Richard Russell, B.S., Sanitary Inspector, Part Time

Richard M. Sturtevant, R.S., M.S., Public Health Sanitarian

David Werner, B.S., Sanitary Inspector, CETA employee

Florence Whiteley, R.P.T., B.S. Public Health Physical Thera-  
pist

\* Resigned

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER G. HOWES,

County Health Officer

## Report of the Recreation Committee

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

This year the Sandwich Recreation Committee adopted a written set of "Rules, Regulations and Policies." Due to the Town's ever growing recreational programs, the "Rules" were established to allow the committee better control of funds and town owned equipment. Since the members of the Recreation Committee recognize their accountability to the Selectmen and the citizens of Sandwich, we feel it essential that we organize in a manner which best facilitates an optimum recreation program at a minimum cost. The "Rules" were drawn up specifically to be pertinent, yet simple for participants to follow. As is to be expected with the implementation of any such rules, there have been some difficult areas. However, the committee feels strongly that a solid commitment to the "Rules" by all concerned, is essential to future recreational development.

The annual summer recreation program began with a Fourth of July parade and field day. The ("Horribles") parade was well attended with participants being awarded ribbons and refreshments. The festivities then continued on the school grounds where youngsters and parents participated in many field activities. Each participant received free soda and a frankfurt. New additions to the July Fourth program were pony rides for the children and a three mile race for all ages.

The summer program, which included playground activities as well as swimming instruction and canoeing, once again ran for six weeks. This program was under the direction of Mr. Silvio Tedeschi. His staff included: Cynthia Ambroseno, Jan Semonian, Susan Smith, Margaret Velsor, Phoebe Carrai, Paul Champagne, Julia Brown, Kevin Merritt, Carolyn Ann Klinck, David Dinklage, Jean Sibson, Maria Carito, and Bethany Knowles.

The nature and crafts program was again a big success. A great number of girls and boys were involved in numerous art projects as well as picnics, bicycle riding, outings to Sandy Neck, and a field trip to Lincoln Park.



The swim program at Snake Pond drew 518 participants. During the first three week session there were 29 different classes with an enrollment of 297. The second session offered 26 classes for the 221 participants. Once again at the conclusion of the program, all participants were invited to a swim carnival, where prizes were awarded and free refreshments served.

The Drama Club, under the direction of Mr. Gerry Marra, presented the play "Damn Yankees". Thanks to Mr. Marra and his cast for the excellent job done.

The tennis program was again a big success. Many thanks are in order for Roberta Leydon, Gene Carr, and Guy Feeley for their time and effort in helping with the spring program. One hundred eight participants were instructed in the summer program under Julia Brown and Kevin Merritt. The Second Annual Sandwich Tournament was held for both students and adults. Over eighty youngsters and eighty adults participated.

The men's and women's tennis leagues were also very successful with approximately 85 adults participating.

Bowling was a part of the program again this year and proved to be very successful once again. This program ran for six weeks.

The recreation commission also once again sponsored men's and women's softball teams.

Teen dances and rock concerts were held throughout the summer at Town Beach. These dances were very successful and well attended.

The Fall Saturday morning field hockey programs for girls was under the direction of Miss Debbie Clum. This program was not as successful as in the past and we encourage more young girls to participate.

The boys soccer program was directed by Mr. Silvio Tedeschi. The boys were given instruction on the fundamentals of soccer each week before playing. All members of the winning team received trophies. Also an all-star team participated again in the Falmouth Jamboree Soccer Tournament.

A basketball and volleyball program for high school students began again in December. All boys and girls were



invited to play basketball and volleyball every Thursday night at the Henry T. Wing School for a period of ten weeks. This program was supervised by Mr. Silvio Tedeschi.

Two ski trips were held for high school students to Pat's Peak in Henniker, New Hampshire. These were supervised by Mr. Silvio Tedeschi and volunteering chaperons. Approximately eighty youngsters participated and had an enjoyable time.

The figure skating clinic, sponsored by the Recreation Committee, continued this year. The instructor, Mrs. Sidney Arnold, of Duxbury, taught the basic skills at the Gallo Rink in Bourne. There were 92 boys and girls who participated in the Fall Session. A morning class was made available for the Junior High students. The Basic Tests as set by the U.S. Figure Skating Association, were given to each skater. Those passing the requirements for each of the nine stages, earned badges for the skills perfected.

A gymnastics program was held in the Fall for the Junior and Senior High students, in conjunction with the Community school. Mr. Dave March, of Taurian Gymnastics in Hyannis instructed 35 girls for 10 weeks. The program consisted of floor exercises, beam, and uneven bars. Those who participated enjoyed the new experience.

The Recreation Commission would like to take this opportunity to thank the Selectmen, the Finance Committee and all persons who supported the Recreation Program this year.

Respectfully submitted,

SILVIO TEDESCHI, Director  
CARLO M. DiPERSIO, Chairman  
PAULA SAVEL, Secretary  
WILLIAM F. O'NEIL, Treasurer  
LYDIA F. BORJESON  
RICHARD J. BUCKLAND, JR.  
PETER KOHN  
PATRICIA L. McARDLE

## Sandwich Youth Hockey

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of Sandwich:

Once again the program has grown, in number of youthful players, in number of adult participants, in stature within our league.

At this writing, league play is still in progress, final standings are undecided, but it can be reported with certainty that Sandwich will be at or near the top.

Standings in the league are important to all involved. It is the test of how well we have done at training. Training, though, is only one facet, leading is another. And there, we have had great success.

The directors of the youth hockey program exercised diligent care in the selection of coaches for Sandwich teams, and it is with pride that we commend to your attention the following men who have given their very best to one segment of our youths:

George Challls	— Bantam coach
Fred Giampetro	— Pee-Wee coach
Rod Valentini	— Squirt "Toros" coach
Owen Gaffney	— Squirt "Blues" coach

They have fortified the ancient adage: Leadership by example is the best leadership of all.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. BUCKLAND, JR.

Secretary

Sandwich Youth Hockey

## Report of the Teener League Team

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The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The 1975 Sandwich "Blues" completed a third successful season in winning both the Cape Cod Senior Babe Ruth League and Cape Cod Teener League Championships.

Peter Howell, Peter Kahelin, John Hendy, Mike Flaherty and Dave Finerty represented the Sandwich "Blues" on the "All-Star" team which participated in the State Senior Babe Ruth Tournament at Dennis, Mass.

The Leagues presented each member of the team with Championship Jackets (Teener) and Trophies (Babe Ruth) and members of All-Star team with trophies. John Hendy won the Cape Cod Senior Babe Ruth League Batting Title Trophy. All were presented by Joe Morgan, Manager of the Pawtucket Red Sox.

I should like to thank the School Committee, Recreation Committee, Finance Committee, and the Selectmen for their continued support of the Teener Team.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. HENDY, JR.  
Coach

## Report of the Sandwich Little Baseball League

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The Sandwich Little Baseball League recorded it's greatest year in the history of Sandwich. Expansion of the American League from four teams to six teams; the expansion of the National League from two teams to six teams; and the organization of four 'Squirt' teams enabled over 275 boys and girls to participate in the sport. The Sandwich All-Stars played in both the Bridgewater and Cape Cod Tournaments. The season was topped off with an overcrowded banquet at the Mass. Maritime Academy.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL B. ROBBINS

Director

Sandwich Little Baseball League

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## Report of the Babe Ruth League Team

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The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The 1975 Sandwich Babe Ruth baseball team, known as the "Reds" completed its seventh and final year of successful operation.

Sandwich finished third in the Cape Cod Pony League after finishing first six straight years.

By winning 9 while losing 6 the final record of the team was 108 wins and 19 losses! This probably is the best record of any team in the history of the Town.

The junior varsity of the "Reds" known as the "Rockets" finished their second season, undefeated, with a record of



12 wins and 0 losses in winning the Cape Cod Pony League J.V. Championship.

Operation of these two teams would not have been possible without the expert assistance of Dan Foley.

The first team I had several years ago just had nine players at most games. For the next few years we supplemented the interested Sandwich players with a few equally-interested players from other towns for the benefit of the Sandwich boys.

It turned out to be very beneficial to the Sandwich boys and I believe the Town. Other Towns had been and still do allow Sandwich boys to participate on their summer baseball teams.

The past two years has seen a rapid growth in interest and participation in the program, and no outside players were necessary. In fact, over forty Sandwich boys participated on two teams this past year. This is why I am closing out the Sandwich "Reds" and recommending that a four-team in-town league for youth 13-16 commence this summer. Although the cost of operation will be a little more because of the increase in participation, it is well worth it to the youth of the Town.

The new league setup will provide more opportunity for participation and playing time.

As in the past, I should like to publicly thank for the players all the parents who have assisted, the School Committee, the Recreation Committee, the Finance Committee and the Selectmen for their continued assistance and support of the Sandwich "Reds".

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM R. HENDY, JR.  
Coach

## Report of the Bicentennial Committee

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of Sandwich

Submitted herewith is the report of the activities of the Bicentennial Committee.

On April 20, 1975 a reenactment scene was held at the Dunbar House of the arrival on horseback from Boston of the message that all Patriots were to prepare for battle with the British. The 4-H unit with horses helped in this event. About 30 people in costume took part.

The big event of the year was the 5th of July Bicentennial Parade. The line of march consisted of many floats, bands, fife and drum corps, militia units and marching units. Several other Cape towns sent representatives. It was the largest parade ever held in the Town. The Junior Woman's Club organized the parade and is to be congratulated. All organizations are given thanks for their participation. It was a grand Bicentennial celebration.

The play "Spirit of 76" was held at the Wing School July 25th and 26th. The cast, resplendent in colonial costumes, presented typical scenes from the Continental Congress and the problems and tribulations of the times. It was an excellent performance by local and surrounding towns' actors and actresses.

Special appreciation goes to the Society of Friends for the reenactment of an eighteenth century monthly Quaker Meeting at the Meetinghouse in East Sandwich in August.

Other events and projects included:

Several scenes of which movies were made as a Cape Cod Bicentennial Documentary.

Reproduction of Sandwich montage prints, historic sites information sheets, historic maps and pamphlets.

Year-of-construction signs made available to residents of older homes.

Opening exercises and presentation of Sandwich Bicentennial Montage to townspeople at 1975 Town Meeting.

Participation in Memorial Day parade.

Bicentennial table at June Men's Club Strawberry Festival.

Opening ceremonies at the Barnstable County Fair.

Presentation of flag to Sandwich Post Office.

Represented at the Cape Cod send-off of the Massachusetts Conestoga wagon to the National Wagon Train, in West Barnstable, Village of Flags.

Display at Barnstable County Teachers' Convention.

Attended dedication of the old Historic Academy Building in Falmouth.

Encouraged group interested in forming a Sandwich Militia.

Plans for 1976 include:

Promotion of the Cape Cod Militia's Evacuation Day Celebration at the Daniel Webster Inn on March 20, 1976.

Presentation of the National Bicentennial Flag to the students of the H. T. Wing Elementary School at their Bicentennial kick-off assembly.

Presentation of Bicentennial flag to Sandwich High School students.

Eighteenth century attire presentation to the Sandwich Homemakers.

Bourne Bicentennial Week, March 28 - April 4, 1976, recognition, with participation in parade on April 4. Bourne is celebrating the anniversary of its separation from Sandwich to become town of own.

On April 19, 1976, showing of new film "Life on Cape Cod During the Revolution", including scenes shot in Sandwich.

Bicentennial Costume Ball at Otis AFB, May 22, 1976.

Exhibit at Eldred House.

Continuing availability of historic maps and information.

Observance of Interfaith Bicentennial Sunday, June 27, 1976, at all churches.

Gala July 4, 1976 events:

Opening of 1876 100-year capsule.

Presentation of new 100-year capsule.

Dedication of Bicentennial commemorative plaque and boulder at Eldred House near Liberty Pole.

(These added to the Town's Band Concert, Boat Parade, Fire Works, Children's Parade and Field Events will ensure a memorable celebration.)

Sailing of international Operation Sail '76 fleet through canal on July 9.

Encouragement of Bicentennial Music Concert at Shawme Pond park in July.

Sandwich People Day in September.

Sealing of 1976-2076 capsule in December.

The Bicentennial Committee wishes to thank the citizens of the Town of Sandwich for their encouragement and cooperation, with special recognition going to the many who have and are taking part in these two hundredth anniversary festivities.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. LEINO, Chairman

CAROLYN A. WEIMAR, Co-Chairman



## Report of the Clark-Haddad Memorial Building Trustees

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

The Trustees of the Clark-Haddad building feel that all residents of Sandwich should be aware of the activities that are making use of this old school house, often referred to as American Legion Hall and more commonly called the Drop-in Center. There are the following groups regularly scheduled to use the building. 1. The Arts and Crafts Society. 2. The Bicentennial Committee. 3. The Extension Service. 4. The Sandwich Woman's Club. 5. The Sandwich Junior Woman's Club. 6. The Council on Aging. 7. The Boy Scouts. The building is available to those requiring a meeting place for medium sized groups (up to 100) for evening or Saturday and Sunday meetings. Written applications addressed to Clark-Haddad Trustees, Sandwich Town Hall, Sandwich will be appreciated, from those interested in using the facility.

Approved bids are currently being sought for refurbishing the outside of the building and approval is being sought to modernize the wiring and plumbing and generally improve the interior and safety as well.

The Board of Trustees of Clark-Haddad Memorial Building wish to thank the citizens of the Town of Sandwich for their continued interest and support.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. VanBUSKIRK, Chairman  
CARL E. LEINO, Secretary  
CARL BAZZINOTTI  
DENNIS EARLE  
ERNEST OETINGER

## Report of the Dexter Grist Mill

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

The Dexter Mill opened on Saturday, June 14th with a good attendance on opening day and continued good for the rest of the season.

There were 9,848 visitors this year not including the many children who did not have to pay but who seemed to enjoy the working of the Mill and the way the corn was ground into corn meal. We ground thirteen and one half tons of corn and sold 12,164 bags of corn meal at the Mill. Some of the stores in Town carry this corn meal until they are sold out, and then have to wait until we open in June.

The swans, geese and ducks are still a source of interest and many pictures are taken of them, they are well fed and more come each year. The professional photographers took many pictures of the Mill this year, for their bicentennial books.

The Mill closed on Sunday, September 28, 1975 after a good year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. GOSSE, Miller

## Director's Report of the Old Hoxie House

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The Old Hoxie House was the scene, inside and out, of part of a movie made for a Bicentennial program of Cape Cod. For three cold, snowy sessions, the fireplace burned brightly — making a colorful background for the costumed actors. All were local residents.

According to the early town historians, the Old Hoxie House was built in 1637 — guests from every state in Our Union were very pleased to find it still stands and is restored. One guest called the tour "A unique experience"!

Opened early for a special group in May. One hundred twenty members of the National Association of Savings Banks enjoyed visiting here. Our regular season started Flag Day with lectured tours given continuously throughout the day. It was a busy summer.

The furniture and furnishings are holding up very well — cleaned and treated regularly. For the record, the Museum of Fine Arts of Boston has on loan here FIVE pieces of furniture. They are checked annually.

The herb garden is growing well. Has supplied many green bouquets for decorations as well as dried sprays for next season.

Storm shutters were put on the building this winter so that the leaded glass windows might be repaired. All of them needed putty very badly.

Many thanks to the following for the beautiful flowers brought here during the summer:

Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Lyon

Mr. & Mrs. James Govone

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Hilliard

Mrs. Alfred Hoey

My assistants, Mrs. Walter Hilliard and Mrs. Alfred Hoey, join me in thanking you for any aid given us this past season.

Do remember taxpayers and local residents, the Old Hox-  
ie House is your house to visit!

See you next summer?

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE  
(Mrs. Charles G. Whitmore)

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## Report of the Inspector of Animals

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

I have investigated 35 animal bites — 33 dog, 1 guinea pig, and 1 bat. Quarantined 31 dogs and 1 guinea pig and subsequently released them. The bat carcass was taken to Wasserman Lab by the Department of Natural Resources and proved to be free of rabies.

I have inspected 156 animals and 48 animal shelters. There is no indication of infectious or contagious disease. Listed below is the census I took for the State Department of Agriculture.

Census:	62 Horses
	22 Ponies
	1 Burro
	1 Donkey
	1 Mule
	5 Goats
	11 Sheep
	33 Cattle
	20 Swine

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156 Animals

Respectfully submitted,

HILDA E. WHITMORE  
(Mrs. Charles G. Whitmore)



# Report of the Sandwich Public Library

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and the Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

Submitted herewith is the report of the Sandwich Public Library for the calendar year, 1975.

Over the past five years, the library's annual reports have been variously arranged to stress different aspects of its role, resources, services, and needs. This year, mindful of the auspicious opening of the Community School, we want to focus on the productive interaction of libraries, schools and other public departments, organizations, individual citizens, and library-staff members to produce a quality of public library services, here in Sandwich, only possible until recently in large cities.

Since the organizations and individuals involved are too numerous to record here, their names will be posted, with deep gratitude, in the library's east vestibule.

**Resources. Books.** 1. Added to the fully-cataloged collection — 1,697 (227 of these gifts from 72 individuals, 6 local organizations, 10 Cape, state or national institutions), bringing the total, after withdrawals, to 32,191. Many additional gift volumes were used for exchange through the Cape library network, book dealers, or the Friends-of-the-Sandwich Public Library, or directly to other library patrons. Some \$375.00 worth of reference books of our choice, funded through a federal L.S.C.A. Title I grant, were acquired because of the completion by two staff members of a reference course under Massachusetts Bureau of Library Extension auspices.

2. Borrowed from the Yarmouth Port Eastern Regional System Depository for circulation here — 355. Also from the Depository some 300 volumes — a section on long-term deposit to supplement our materials, particularly in specialized or reference fields.

3. Large-print books for circulation to the visually handicapped, borrowed from the Falmouth Sub-Regional Library, the Depository, and the Bourne Public Library — 263.

These are always in short supply, since both the number and variety published is too limited to meet demand.

4. Borrowed through the Regional network to meet borrowers' specific needs — 276.

5. Popular paperbacks — about 500 on hand (all gifts). These have long since outgrown their rotating rack and are stretched along windowsills, with a special section for science fiction.

**Periodicals or newspapers.** The library subscribes to 63, receives 29 by gift, with an additional 52 newsletters or bulletins given by publishers, organizations, branches of government, etc. The subscription list is continuously revised in relation to public needs, high school holdings, index coverage.

**Pamphlets.** There are two files, one in the public area for general use, and one in a staff office, of irreplaceable material of local historical interest. Both are indexed by subject in a public-catalog drawer. Along with current information in all fields, the library keeps here bulletins about Sandwich, Sandwich laws and regulations, etc. Through such material it seeks to act as the public information center for the Town. It solicits material and is dependent on its receipt.

**Phonograph records.** Total owned — 276 (most by gift), about the capacity of our bins. In addition, we borrowed from the Depository — 56; from other libraries on inter-library loan — 12. Cataloging of records on hand has been completed. These include some modern-language courses.

**Jigsaw puzzles** — About 500 on hand (all gifts). Overflowing their windowsill, the remainder are stored in the basement and brought up for display on a rotating basis.

**Museum tickets** for loan (all gifts). Available now are 2 family tickets to Boston's Children's Museum, 2 to the Museum of Science and 4 adult tickets to the Museum of Fine Arts.

**Motion-picture films.** Borrowed from the Boston Public Library through the Regional network — 92.

**Patterns.** (all gifts). New this year is a pattern exchange, set up for re-use of patterns without loan formalities.

**Information and Readers' Advisory Services.** Cataloging, processing, shelving, care, preparation of finding lists, and

all forms of display and publicity are essentially information services, designed solely to make materials and their contents accessible. These are complicated, time-consuming activities, arranged in an orderly way involving, at some stage, every staff member and, at present, nine volunteers. During the partial leave (September, 1975-August, 1976) of the technical processes assistant, Valerie Morehouse, to obtain her master's degree in library science, a few projects have been suspended, but the rest continue with more than usual requirement for effective cooperation of staff and volunteers in a very crowded work space. Despite the too small, inefficiently divided space, things somehow get done. While caring for incoming material, we have also completed the cataloging of all previously unrecorded materials in the basement, MacKnight Room, and files. A volunteer has mended 538 books (more than double last year). Inventory (by volunteers) was continuous. We continued to send cards to Falmouth's union catalog and to the Sandwich Glass Museum. Displays were constant and varied. A Bicentennial-information counter is kept current. So is the list of places of interest in Sandwich. Most newspaper publicity has been done with excellence, by volunteers.

The number of requests for information beyond simple catalog and shelf help is not counted, but continues to grow, so that the entire permanent staff is involved — sometimes all at once, but with a chain of responsibility which insures that every inquirer will receive as complete an answer as we are able to supply through our knowledge of this library's resources, through telephone calls, or through interlibrary loan, as recorded above.

A volunteer maintains on our bulletin board a Calendar of Community Events, which is widely used both to learn about events and to reduce conflicts in scheduling.

Another volunteer, with several emergency helpers, provides weekly service from the library to the homebound, spending much thought and time in meeting their needs.

In September, Augusta Brown joined the staff as young-people's librarian. While continuing existing work with children and young people, she has added some programs in the library, book-reviewing (on request) in elementary grades; selection of blocks of junior-high fiction for circulating loan to the high-school library, and plans closer, more cooperative



relations with the young people, their parents and the schools than was previously possible. Emphasis in the public library will continue to be on help for the individual in pursuit of his own goals; in his relation to the family and society at large; and in his search for enrichment reading or extended study for school requirements.

**Loan use.** The year's total circulation was 58,329, with increased use in all categories of resources described above, and by both children and adults. Blocks of books were again loaned to the schools for direct circulation to students.

Photocopier use, a form of both circulation and reference extension, totaled 12,204 copies.

The total of new borrowers registering was 767. The active borrowers file now totals 5,423. Of this number, 4,217 are year-round residents. Children under six use their parents' cards.

The new statewide reciprocal-borrowing requirement for membership in the Massachusetts Regional System resulted in the addition of only a few registrants.

**Programs, meetings, events.** Three special exhibits were loaned to us, as were year-round displays of house plants, and a terrarium. The Sandwich Gardeners again decorated with greens for the Christmas holiday season. Various Sandwich committees and organizations met in the Activities Room. The library hosted a summer series of slide programs on aspects of the Cape, presented by people who gave their services, and the "Friends of the Library" hosted a winter series of slide programs on foreign travel, also presented by the speakers without charge. Weekly film programs for pre-school children (conducted by volunteers) and many other children's activities were held.

**Physical plant.** Growth is bringing new and urgent problems, now under study by the librarian and trustees. Most critical space shortages are for staff work space and public parking. Meanwhile the Trustees' building committee, the custodian, Park Department, and contracted services keep things looking attractive and in good repair.

The Sandwich Public Library and the Community School now complement each other in providing pleasure and continuing education for all, with the library supplying oppor-



tunity for self-education individually pursued, and the back-up materials needed by students in formal courses.

The limits of cooperative action are never reached. It is our hope to work constructively with the citizens, the schools and all other agencies towards the maximum effective use of all public buildings, resources and skills.

As always, our gratitude goes to the Trustees for their dedicated, informed support.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE WALKER, Librarian

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## Report of the Wire Inspector

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

The following report is for 1975 as requested, from July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975.

In the year 1975 we issued 339 wiring permits, of which 218 were for new homes and 121 were for alterations.

Due to the extra travel as a result of the occupancy permit inspections, the total miles are 4,100 miles.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation herewith to the people in the Town Hall for their fine cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR E. CARON  
Inspector of Wires

**WESTON MEMORIAL FUND  
TRUSTEES REPORT**

**January 1 — December 31, 1975**

	Total Income	Market Value Dec. 31, 1975
<b>Mary Crocker Baker Fund</b>		
Bass River Savings Bank	\$47.21	\$804.66
Plymouth Savings Bank	222.60	3,000.00
Consumers Power Co. 5 7/8 Deb	587.50	7,347.50
Eastman Kodak	103.00	5,300.00
	<hr/> \$960.31	<hr/> \$16,452.16
<b>Hannah B. Belcher Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	29.24	546.56
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	286.40	1,000.00
American Tel. & Tel.	285.60	4,263.12
I. B. M.	71.50	2,464.00
	<hr/> 672.74	<hr/> 11,273.66
<b>Anne B. Chamberlin Fund</b>	71.60	1,000.00
<b>Harriet M. Faunce Fund</b>	148.40	2,000.00
<b>J. Frank Giles Fund</b>	148.40	2,000.00
<b>W. Dodge MacKnight Fund</b>		
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	.....	39.73
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	71.60	1,000.00
State Street Bank & Trust	7,801.38	145,492.96
	<hr/> 7,872.98	<hr/> 146,539.69
<b>Charles Macy Fund</b>		
Bass River Savings Bank	392.36	6,186.10
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	14.64	273.69
American Tel. & Tel. Deb. 5 1/2	275.00	3,725.00
Hyannis Co-operative Bank	487.47	6,800.00
	<hr/> 1,169.47	<hr/> 16,985.69

	Total Income	Market Value Dec. 31, 1975
<b>Nathaniel Nye Fund</b>		
Plymouth Savings Bank	86.40	1,164.91
<b>Weston Fund</b>		
Bass River Savings Bank	144.48	3,754.30
Cape Cod 5¢ Savings Bank	74.12	1,000.00
Plymouth Savings Bank	552.52	7,447.46
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	44.92	600.00
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	214.80	3,000.00
Sandwich Co-operative Bank	.....	2.11
Charter Bank Inc.	528.00	8,360.00
Exxon Corporation	500.00	8,212.50
General Motors	96.00	2,869.00
I. B. M.	19.50	672.00
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	2,174.34	34,147.37
<b>Total All Funds</b>	<b>\$13,304.64</b>	<b>\$231,563.48</b>

## Report of the Council on Aging

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

During the year 1975 (Jan.-Dec.) the Council on Aging initiated and implemented the following programs for the seniors in our community, 1,418.

**Shopping Trips:** All trips were by school bus and at no cost to the participant. There were 5 different trips to 3 different off Cape shopping malls and 200 persons took advantage of the offering. The trips covered the period April thru December.

**Entertainment Trips:** Flower Show (48 persons) two Chateau de Ville trips (33-40) Bicentennial Tour of Boston, Lexington and Concord. Two Melody Tent Trips (51) Two trips by excursion boat through the Canal (41-39) Trip to Martha's Vineyard and tour of the island (81) Beautiful Foliage trip to Deerfield, Mass. by Cape Cod Bus Lines including coffee break, box lunch and buffet dinner at the Old Mill Restaurant, in Westminster (86 persons). All of these trips were offered at greatly reduced rates and those trips to the Chateau de Ville, the Melody Tent, the two Canal trips and transportation to Boston for the Bicentennial Trip and the Martha's Vineyard excursion used school buses. Our special thanks to the Sandwich School Department for their cooperation. 135 different persons attended the shopping trips and 217 different persons took part in one or more of the entertainment trips.

The Drop in Center was open every Wednesday and Friday afternoon from 12:00 noon until 4:30 offering sociability, card playing and refreshment to all; the average attendance was approximately 25 persons. A Christmas Party was held with 135 persons joining in the singing and merry making. Four Covered Dish Birthday Luncheons were held, attendance at each about 45. Art classes were held every Wednesday during the winter, spring and fall with over 20 registered in the class. A chair caning class was given with about 20 persons attending. Three of our seniors, Mrs. R. Pfaunz, Mrs. F. Warren and Mrs. A. Dutton volunteered to conduct



and teach a class in dress making every Thursday during the fall and winter; about 10 attended. The Drop in Center was the starting or meeting place for all who went on the Shopping and Entertainment trips and provided the space for parking of cars during the various trips. The Drop in Center was also the gathering place for all 342 persons who participated in the Upper Cape Regional Vocational School lunch for the elderly program conducted by Mrs. Bradley Kellogg, Ex. Director of the Dunbar Office and the Drop in Center for Sandwich Council on Aging.

Dunbar Office, Social Services. In April of 1975 the Council in a sincere attempt to reach and be of assistance to those whom we know are alone, or ailing, in need of medical transportation or even periodic shopping assistance. Then there are many who are alone and afraid and simply ask for a schedule of friendly visits supplemented by daily, weekly or monthly telephone reassurance calls. 137 persons are called each month under this Reassurance program. Friendly visits average 19 a month for an average of 12 different people per month. Transportation to hospitals, doctors and shopping trips required an average of 8 trips a month. And approximately 20 hours a month are devoted to personal interviews and counseling. During the harvest season persons having a surplus of crops bring them into Dunbar Office and Mrs. Kellogg distributes them to the elderly in need. An accurate and up to date poll and record are kept of the seniors in our town and an I.D. and discount card are available, to those desirous of having one, at the Dunbar Office. For information concerning Council on Aging activities phone week days Monday through Friday 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. 888-4737.

We would indeed be remiss in this report if we failed to pay proper tribute to our late Council on Aging member, Frances Jeger of Forestdale, who passed away December 21, 1975. Frances had been for the past one and one half years an active member and a moving spirit in promoting programs of benefit to the seniors of our community. A truly sincere and wonderful person and her absence will be sorely felt for a long time.

It should be noted that since the beginning of '76 two new and additional members have joined the Council's ranks and increased the number of councilors to ten. The new mem-

bers are Mrs. Mary Funk of Great Island Road and Mrs. Margaret DesBarres of Tyler Drive both of Sandwich.

For the Council on Aging

ERNEST A. OETINGER, Ch.

JOHN HAZEN, Vice Ch.

ISABEL PIFER, Sec.

CLIFTON ROBINSON

ELIZABETH BEALE

HAZEL KEITH

LUCILE FLEET

HERBERT NELSON

MARY FUNK

MARGARET DESBARRES

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## Report of the Sandwich Historic District Committee Old King's Highway Regional Historic District

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

With the close of the year 1975 the Sandwich Historic District Committee completed its first year of operation under the Old King's Highway Regional Historic District Act. During the year the committee disposed of approximately 250 applications for the certificates of appropriateness required by law. Two appeals were taken from committee determinations to the Regional Commission which affirmed the committee in one case and in the other remanded it to the committee for further consideration. In the latter case, upon a further appeal to the Regional Commission, the Town Committee was upheld by a unanimous vote. On December 24, 1975 there were enacted into law certain amendments to the Regional Act designed to expedite and simplify procedures under the act. The chairman took an active part in drafting and implementing these amendments.

The committee has endeavored to administer the act with sympathetic consideration of the applicants' problems,

and applicants have, in turn, shown a commendable willingness to accept committee suggestions when suggestions seemed in order. On November 24, 1975 Edward A. Coomey was elected to the committee to succeed Seth S. Pope. Before serving on this committee Mr. Pope had served for several years on the old Historic District Committee, now dissolved. In each capacity he served the town faithfully and well. Mr. Coomey brings to the committee a broad and useful experience in the building construction field.

As secretary to the committee Mrs. Harold I. Palmer renders invaluable service to the committee in processing applications, attending hearings and maintaining cordial relations with the public.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD BOURNE, Chairman  
ROBERT W. BRIDGES  
GEORGE SUTTON  
GRATTAN GILL  
EDWARD A. COOMEY

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## Report of the Sandwich Historical Commission

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During 1975 the Commission met regularly and continued its mandatory work on the inventory of old houses and other historic assets in Sandwich. Our collection of slides of houses and copies of pictures of historic interest was extended. These pictures together with extensive files on the descent of early Sandwich families and on historic subjects are kept at Town Hall and may be consulted by interested citizens through contact with Dr. Wright or Mr. Lovell.

As to personnel, Dr. Wright and Mr. vander Pyl were reappointed for three years, while Mr. Martin replaced Miss Andrews.

Work on the Town Hall National Register Area went on during the year, using the Commission's data with strong support and assistance by the Woman's Club. The proposal



was approved by the National Park Service late in November and was publicized during December. In spite of notices to property owners there remained many questions as to the implications of the National Register status, and a new description with steps for obtaining grants-in-aid is being prepared.

The Commission aided in the work on the Eldred House voted by the Town in 1974, also in the displays by the Burgess Committee and the Bicentennial Committee. New copies of the 1857 and 1880 property maps were printed for sale.

A new Board of Trade flier was designed including a 1776 map of Sandwich, of which 15,000 were distributed at stores and other outlets. A booklet on the history of the First Parish Church was written for sale by the Bicentennial Committee, and a second booklet on General Timothy Rugles is being readied for publication.

At year end the Commission was extracting information from the record books held at the First Church as to baptisms, marriages, deaths and membership. This data will be placed on 3" x 5" cards to supplement the Vital Records kept by the Town Clerk. Many questions on town history and early families were answered for persons all over this country.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. D. F. WRIGHT, Chairman  
R. A. LOVELL, JR., Secretary  
DR. C. R. SMITH  
DR. A. C. COOK  
MRS. BARBARA L. GILL  
MR. FRANK X. MARTIN  
MR. ROSS VAN DER PYL



# Report of the Sandwich Community School

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To the Board of Selectmen and  
Members of the School Committee  
Sandwich, Massachusetts

At the Annual Town Meeting in May, 1975, the citizens of Sandwich voted to establish the Sandwich Community School, the purpose of which was to make maximum use of local school buildings and facilities, and to provide programs and activities for Sandwich people of all ages.

A Community School Executive Council was appointed by the School Committee to govern the Community School program. Members of the Council are: Orrin Taylor, Chairman; Carol MacLean, Vice-Chairman; Kathleen Nickerson, Secretary; Charles Scribner, Treasurer; and members Virginia Lewis, Bette Bridges, John Chisholm, William Hendy, Eleanor Gaffney, Earl Lantery, and Patricia McArdle.

In August, the Council selected Gale Ewer as Community School Director with responsibility for the development and implementation of community education in Sandwich.

Since September, over 700 people have participated in after-school and evening classes sponsored by the Community School. Of the instructors, 40 have participated on a volunteer basis. In the office, located in the now "old" Jr.-Sr.-High School, there have been regular volunteers who have contributed nearly 400 hours of clerical work, typing and telephoning. Peggy McLaughlin has been a volunteer in the office since August and has been an outstanding asset to the School's success. Many other Sandwich people have also contributed in a variety of ways to help get the program off to a good start.

The use of school facilities for activities and meetings for town committees and organizations is scheduled through the Community School office. If you have tried to find a parking space on any night of the week, you are aware of how many things go on in our schools after regular school hours!

As a community service, a film series for adults and children has been sponsored under the direction of Mrs.

Lewis and Mrs. McArdle. Plans for the future include programs for pre-schoolers and handicapped persons. There are also plans in the works for a lunch program for Senior Citizens.

With the move to the new Sandwich Junior-Senior High School (coming later this Spring )more space and beautiful facilities will be available. A late afternoon and evening pool program is already in the organizational stages, to begin sometime in April. A series of six-week courses will comprise our Spring program. Looking even further ahead, we are planning on a group of crafts courses for adults for the summer. A drama program for Sandwich people of all ages will include children's theater, the mechanics of a production, and performances. This program will be coordinated with existing dramatic groups in town so as to supplement rather than compete.

All-in-all, the first months of the Community School have been exciting and successful. Major limitations have been of space and budget, but they have been largely overcome by the cooperation and generosity of hundreds of people.

A special thanks must go to the custodians who have cheerfully rounded up movie screens, set up chairs, found warmer or cooler classrooms when necessary, and performed other kindnesses too numerous to mention!

Respectfully submitted,

GALE B. EWER  
Director

## School Building Committee Report

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
and Citizens of the Town of Sandwich:

The year 1975 has been both a busy one and a rewarding one from the point of view of your Building Committee.

The Building Committee has been busy with many meetings, site visitations and constant communications with all parties involved. Our meetings were on a regularly scheduled monthly basis, plus some special meetings to cover current problems. Along with the usual business at these meetings, such as progress and work schedules, payment of construction bills, discussing current problems; the School Administration brought in movable furniture bids amounting to about \$500,000 during 1975. Again as the previous year, money is an overriding factor in most meetings.

The rewarding part of 1975 has been the completion of the renovations and additions to our present Elementary School, except for a few punch list items now being processed. Also, our new Junior Senior High School on Quaker Meeting-house Road has gone from 48% completion as of January 1, 1975 to 97% completion as of December 31, 1975. At the present time we are looking forward to the opening of the Junior Senior High School sometime after February vacation.

A building project this size is, of course, not without some major problems during the construction period. The request of additional costs for delays in the building of the Sewerage Disposal System (\$93,149.90), request of additional monies for the masonry light pole bases (\$51,830.60), request for additional cost for the gym flooring (\$36,000.) and request for additional monies for "Fly Gallery" located at rear of stage (\$4,800.). The aforementioned requests are presently in litigation with Franchi Bros. Construction Corporation Vs Town of Sandwich. The assessment date of liquidated damages, with documentation from the Architectural firm of Drummey Rosane Anderson, Inc. to allow 119 days extension of time for delays on contract, now makes the contract completion date November 28, 1975.



One of the responsibilities of your Building Committee has been to keep a watchful eye on change orders over the course of the construction period. We have spent many hours examining all costs and benefits of making changes and as a result very few change orders for the size of this project have been approved.

My foremost thought as I write this report is to thank the Townspeople of Sandwich for voting and raising the appropriation of \$155,520.00 to the school construction account, which was caused by the necessity to accept the second low bidder on the general contract for the Elementary School.

The Committee would also like to thank Mr. Richard Sprague of Sandwich for a job well done. Mr. Sprague terminated his job as Clerk of the Works of the Sandwich Elementary School on September 1, 1975.

The end of the General Construction on our new Junior Senior High School and renovations and additions to our Elementary School is in sight and the Building Committee is pleased with the progress made up to this date. This does not mean the end of the Building Committees responsibilities, for much is yet to be done even in the closing stage. However, soon all of the Townspeople will have an opportunity to visit the buildings. We believe you will like what you see and be happy to have been a part of a building program that meets the educational needs of our Sandwich children.

The School Building Committee hopes that at this time next year we will be writing our final report on the largest building program ever undertaken by the Town of Sandwich. At the outset a seemingly impossible task to conquer, but with so many helping hands from interested and involved people the end seems so much closer at this time.

In closing I wish to thank my fellow committee members for the long hours of duty, cooperation and willingness to serve the Townspeople of Sandwich. The Superintendent of Schools whose experience and knowledge in building schools has been a tremendous help on this project. His office staff who have spent many hours helping to see the project through to this point. The School Administrators and the Faculty whose patience and understanding are appreciated by the Committee.



My last thought is to ask the Building Committee, the School Committee, School Administrators, Faculty, School personnel and other dedicated people to continue to work together with a team effort to see this immense project through to the end.

Respectfully submitted,

MR. STANLEY TORREY, Chair-  
man

MR. WILLIAM HENDY, Vice Chair-  
man

MR. FRANK BESS

MR. WALTER FAGNANT

MRS. DOROTHY SMITH

# Report of the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational - Technical School District

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1975

To the Citizens of Sandwich:

In compliance with Section 13 of the Agreement between the towns of the district, this annual report is submitted.

The membership of the Committee follows:

Town of Bourne—Frederick W. McComiskey  
Peter N. Way

Town of Falmouth—James M. Crossen  
M. Gregg Hibbs

Town of Marion—Warren L. Washburn, Vice Chairman

Town of Sandwich—Edgar E. Caron, Chairman

Town of Wareham—Robert A. Braman  
William E. C. Warr, III

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Treasurer—John S. Jillson

Assistant Treasurer—Martha B. Overlock

Secretary—Arthur L. Sweetman

Superintendent-Director—Arthur L. Sweetman

September third marked the beginning of our seventh year at the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School with an enrollment of 603. Since this school was not built to handle this number of students, we have been able to provide extra teaching stations by having the various shops remodel the interior of some areas of the school which has allowed us to open new programs.

The students continue to expand their services to the communities and residents of the five-sending towns. The remodeling of various areas of the Barnstable County Hospital and the completion in June of a new parsonage for the First Baptist Church in Pocasset are two large projects that were accomplished. Presently, the students are building an extensive recreation complex at Wakeby Pond for the Sandwich Conservation Committee.

As for future projects, a new parsonage and activity building for the Swift Memorial Church in Sagamore are being planned. We continue to welcome community projects like these because of the excellent learning experience.

Of the many projects going on in the school, two major ones stand out. One is the construction of a classroom which is being used for our new Health Careers Program and the other is the construction of an 80 x 16 brick storage area to be used to house gym and masonry equipment. The construction of additional facilities here at the school not only provides excellent opportunities for on-the-job training but the material used in the teaching process becomes part of the permanent school property.

In March 1975, a team from the New England Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges conducted a three-day evaluation of our school in order to determine whether or not we met the criteria set down by the Association to become a member. In September of 1975, we received word that we had not only met their standards for full accreditation but that we were awarded a certificate for ten years until 1985. This accomplishment can only be achieved when there is a total effort and dedication by all of the employees of the school and by the direct support and foresight on the part of the School Committee and the taxpayers of the five towns.

The Regional School District, in the way of financial assistance in 1975, received \$426,797.00 representing the 50 percent reimbursement of net operating expense for 1973-1974 and \$45,139.00 which was the remainder of 1972-1973 operating reimbursement. Also received was \$81,606.00 for transportation reimbursement for 1973-1974; \$6,977.16, the remainder for 1972-1973 transportation; a library grant of \$607.84; and \$11,273.00 under PL 81-874 for federally connected pupils.

Due to a change in regional school aid payments under Chapter 71, Section 16D, additional aid for belonging to a regional school district is now based on the amount each town contributes to the district and is to be paid directly to the district. Formerly the towns received 15 percent of their own school aid entitlement under Chapter 70, which last year amounted to approximately \$267,336. This year, using the new formula, the regional school district is to receive

\$69,407 which is considerably less than the towns received under their own formulas. At the present time it is expected that this aid will be distributed at a proration of 95.8 percent.

I wish to once again thank all the town officials and school personnel in our district for their excellent cooperation. Thanks and sincere appreciation should be extended to all personnel who are employed by the school district and to my fellow school committee and advisory board members for their interest, concern, and support. The success of our school is due to the help and cooperation of all of these people.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR E. CARON

Chairman



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## School Organization

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### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Stanley Torrey, Vice Chairman	1978
Joseph Kudara	1978
Betty Bridges, Secretary	1977
Roland DeConto	1977
David Persson, Chairman	1976
William Hendy	1976

### SUPERINTENDENT

Anthony D'Antuono, 190 Waterside Drive, North Falmouth  
 Administrative Assistant: James H. Sibson,  
 Foster Road, East Sandwich  
 Office: Sea Lake Corporation Building  
 Telephone 888-1054

### PRINCIPALS

Sandwich High School  
 John J. Chisholm, Slough Road, Brewster  
 Assistant: Morris G. Frank  
 203 Wickham Drive, E. Hartford, Ct.  
 School Telephone 888-0220

### SANDWICH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

James G. Dolan, 382 Main Street, Yarmouth Port  
 Assistant: Edmund D. Twomey,  
 15 Camelot Rd., Yarmouth Port  
 School Telephone 888-1343

### GUIDANCE COUNSELORS

R. Theodore Steinhilber, Box 86, W. Barnstable  
 Dolores A. Bush, 4 Lovells Lane, Marstons Mills  
 School Telephone 888-3666

### SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST

Grace Day, 67 Greenville Drive, Forestdale  
 School Telephone 888-3666

### CO-ORDINATOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

Virginia Halloran, 60 Sand Dollar Lane, Mashpee  
 School Telephone 888-3666

## CAFETERIA SUPERVISOR

Jean Richards, Snake Pond Road, Forestdale  
School Telephone 888-1343

## CLERKS

Dagny M. Miller — Superintendent's Office  
Joanne M. Fettig — Superintendent's Office  
Doris M. McNamara — Superintendent's Office  
Marie Hamlen — Administrative Assistant's Office  
Donna Dinius — High School Office  
Lorraine Tomasek — High School Office  
Janice A. Brule — Elementary School Office  
Eleanor C. Winslow — Elementary School Office  
Michelle Earle — Guidance Office  
Katherine Alvezi — School Psychologist's Office  
Ruth M. Tyback — Cafeteria Office (Part time)

## SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

John H. Lewis, M.D. 888-0770

## SCHOOL NURSE

Janet E. Davis, R.N. 888-1378

## SUPERVISOR OF MAINTENANCE

Robert E. Scott 477-9431

## CUSTODIANS

Norman E. Weeks	888-1210
Gerald O. Downing	
John R. Powers	759-3229
Austin F. Finn	888-2950
Leonard J. DeCota	888-2906
Elmer F. Brackett	362-6892
George W. Hallahan	477-9206
William Parks	888-0540
Gary Anthony	888-1812
Robert White	888-2662
Stuart Velsor	888-0114

## School Calendar

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Winter Term:

January 5 through February 13

Winter Recess:

February 16 through February 20

Early Spring Term:

February 25 through April 15

Spring Recess:

April 19 through April 23

Late Spring Term:

April 26 through June 25

Fall Term:

September 9 through December 22

Thanksgiving Recess:

November 25 and 26

Christmas Recess:

December 22 through December 31

NO SCHOOL:

Martin Luther King Day — January 15

Good Friday — April 16

Memorial Day — May 31

Colombus Day — October 11

Veterans' Day — November 11

Barnstable County Convention Day — October 15



## General Information

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### **School Committee Meetings:**

School Committee meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Henry T. Wing School.

### **School Entrance:**

#### **Kindergarten —**

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend kindergarten provided he has reached the age of four years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

#### **Grade One —**

Any child resident of Sandwich may attend Grade One provided he has reached the age of five years and eight months on or before September first of the year of entrance.

The State Laws require that all children seven years of age and over, who are physically and mentally able, attend school.

### **Birth Certificate**

A birth certificate is required for all children entering either Kindergarten or Grade One.

### **Medical Requirements**

Medical requirements for school entrance are immunizations, according to the General Laws of Massachusetts, certified by a doctor; also, a physical examination is mandatory.

### **No School**

Every effort will be made to have school whenever feasible. On days when transportation by bus is impossible, school will not be in session. Notice will be broadcast over radio stations WEEL, WNAC, WBZ, WHDH and WOCB at 7:00, 7:30 and 8:00 a.m. Also, there will be one long signal from the Sandwich and East Sandwich Fire Stations at 7:00 a.m. and at 8:00 a.m. In the event that it becomes necessary to close school before the regular dismissal time due to power failure, severe weather conditions, etc., the above radio stations will broadcast this information at 12:00 noon.

## Report of the Superintendent of Schools

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To the School Committee and the Citizens  
of the Town of Sandwich:

Thanks to the concern and active involvement of the people of Sandwich, my expectations were fulfilled in the past year and I know this will continue to be so. To all who serve the causes of public and community school education in Sandwich, therefore, to the School Committee members, the School Building Committee, the Community School Executive Council, the administrative and school personnel, and to every citizen who has shown interest in this past year, may I express my honest appreciation.

This past year was another busy year dealing with the many problems of our rapidly growing system. The year 1975 saw the completion of the addition to and renovations of the elementary facilities. Since the high school was not complete and ready for occupancy as expected, double sessions and the use of the portable classrooms continued throughout the year.

School enrollment ever on the increase has been an important factor every year since I became superintendent, and 1975 was no exception. Much time and effort was spent finding space for the student population of today, while planning and building for the educational needs of the entire town for years to come. These efforts have been based on careful population growth projections. In 1975, exactly as was anticipated, school enrollment reached a total of 1,398, an 11% increase over the previous year, the same growth pattern experienced over the past several years. While the renovated and enlarged Henry T. Wing School and the soon-to-be-completed Junior-Senior High School will meet our current needs for space and housing, present projections indicate a probable enrollment of around 2,200 pupils by 1980. In such an event the Town may need still more facilities — a prospect that will be watched very closely and planned for carefully, with every effort made to utilize existing facilities and to keep costs to an absolute minimum.

As everyone knows, the cost of public school education keeps on rising, with the result that budgeting has become an issue and understandably so. Prior to the Town Meeting, the 1975 School Budget was reduced by the School Committee members themselves in the amount of \$58,020. Voters at the Annual Town Meeting elected to cut another \$100,000. The School Committee chose not to question or challenge the legality of this action, but a group of citizens placed the matter in the hands of the courts to decide. The case was resolved in the Barnstable Superior Court before Justice Francis W. Keating, when a decision was rendered to restore the \$100,000.

Satisfying evidences certainly show, too, that quality education and high levels of learning are taking place in the Sandwich Public Schools, in spite of questions of cost and the previously mentioned budget cuts. For instance, recent statistics show that Sandwich High School students are demonstrating substantial improvement on Scholastic Aptitude Tests (SAT's) and that they now compare very favorably with State and national averages on these important tests. Meanwhile, to offer another example, through Project SCORE (Sandwich Cooperative for Occupational Related Education), steps have been taken to provide more learning opportunities for students who are vocationally and industrially, rather than college oriented. Funded by a grant from the Massachusetts Division of Occupational Education, this program will become system wide, as soon as the new Junior-Senior High School opens.

With the selection of the new Community School Council and the naming of Mrs. Gale Ewer as part-time Director, the goal of offering educational programs and activities for citizens of all ages and interests began to be a reality too in 1975. At a public Open House in December, there were exciting exhibits of crewel work, photography, woodworking and painting, plus a live dramatic show. As soon as new facilities are ready for use, expansion and extension of these very pleasing beginnings will become possible.

These are just a few of the accomplishments that have brought progress and pleasure to many through the work of the Sandwich Public Schools in the past year.

Education today, in Sandwich, is a vast complex of services for a vast complex of pupils, each with his individual



needs, each with his individual learning styles. Even though there have been problems, and even though there will be problems to face for a long time to come, it is clear that the community has the people and the programs, and soon the facilities also, to afford productive, high quality learning experiences for everyone in the community who desires them. For me, to be the Superintendent of these many and varied endeavors is very satisfying indeed. In the future, as in the past, I shall be readily available to any person or groups of persons with questions, comments, criticisms, or contributions to offer.

It has been a distinct pleasure to work with a School Committee that has maintained a close observation of every phase of the school program in order that the department be one of the best in the Commonwealth. Whatever success our educational program has achieved is the direct result of the dedicated teachers, able administrators, and cooperative members of the supportive staff. The assistance of the School Building Committee, the various Town departments and offices has been a source of extreme gratification.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY D'ANTUONO  
Superintendent of Schools



# Report of the High School Principal

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1975

To the School Committee and the  
Superintendent of Schools:

Our School Enrollment as of December 31, 1975:

Grade 7	110
Grade 8	114
Grade 9	113
Grade 10	101
Grade 11	104
Grade 12	102
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Total	644

This year, 1975, was essentially a year devoted to the refinement and strengthening of programs initiated in the past two academic years and a period of preparation for the transition to the new high school building. The junior-senior high school was fortunate to be awarded a number of state grants under both occupational education and Title III. The monies funded by the state for occupational education provided the opportunity to formalize our courses in distributive education and cooperative education (work study). Title III matching grants totaled \$19,000 and were awarded in the fields of reading, mathematics, social studies, science, and modern languages.

During the fall of 1975 extensive work has been done by both the English and Social Studies Departments in re-evaluating the effectiveness of their programs in terms of both objectives and content.

The Glass Chapter of the National Honor Society inducted into their membership the following students: Winifred Earle, Kim Hughes, David Weaver, Martha Gallant, Teresa White, Sally Winings, Timothy Birch, Donna Matchett, Christine Smith, Thomas Hutcheson, Maura Hamlen, John Hendy, David Kellogg, Raymond DeConto, Laura Pell, Michael Glynn, Nicole Gorden, Gary VanBuskirk, Janis Tilley, Lisa Meeks, Kathleen Hogan, Lisa Gagnon, Donna Macomber, Catherine Cervantes, Kevin Merritt, Elizabeth Stobbart, Thomas Hendy.

Athletically, the year was most successful. Sandwich teams captured first places in the Cape and Islands Leagues in hockey, baseball, soccer, cross-country, and field hockey. The soccer team went on to become runner-up in the Eastern Massachusetts Soccer Tournament.

The Edwin Zion Good Sportsmanship Award presented to Judy Hendy and Kenneth Hawes highlighted a year during which various academic awards were also presented.

The following staff members are new to Sandwich Junior-Senior High School:

Art	Mrs. Marita Burns
Physical Education	Miss Deborah Club
Mathematics	Mrs. Beatrice DeLacy
Library Aide	Mrs. Joan DiPersio
Instructional Aide	Mrs. Sandra Feeley
Assistant Principal	Mr. Morris G. Frank
Coordinator of Special Needs	Mrs. Virginia Halloran
Science	Mrs. Ruth Sherman
Social Studies	Mr. Thomas Taylor

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHISHOLM, Principal

## Elementary School Principal

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To the School Committee and the  
Superintendent of Schools:

In this past year of 1975, across our land as well as in this historically significant community of Sandwich, we have earnestly gotten into the celebration of our Nation's 200th Anniversary Celebration, "The Bicentennial". Therefore, I would like to direct in this annual report, a few remarks to this celebration.

As a nation, our founding fathers undertook one of the most important endeavors a nation could ever undertake — that task was to educate all the citizens of the "Republic" — the first nation to attempt such an undertaking. The beginnings were small at first, but as each generation came and went, the task was continued and expanded. I believe that if we pause to reflect upon these past 200 years of continuous effort to provide every citizen (man, woman and child) with an education primarily aimed at the goal of an enlightened citizenry, we have certainly proven to be world leaders. Education has risen to the height of "Cabinet" level on just about every level of government. Such attainment indicates that our present leaders still have the founding father's foresight and goals. It is further my belief that our citizens have these same objectives in their minds as well.

Education has its critics, and certainly we cannot pick up or turn on any of our mass media communication materials or equipment without learning something new on the subject. We realize the critics are hopeful that their criticisms are constructively aimed. As we have the critics, we have those who support educational effort; so those of us in this profession should not only feel the point of the arrow, but are also able to realize that we have seen and reached the target.

In Sandwich we have most of the aforementioned, so may I extend my appreciation to both our critics and our supporters, who together keep the educational efforts of the professionals aimed at objectives that have not basically been altered, but rather adapted to a National Society that is not



only larger than that of 200 years ago, but also more "modern", more diversified and certainly more complex.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. DOLAN, Principal  
Sandwich Elementary School

## Report of the School Nurse

To the School Committee  
and the Superintendent of Schools:

The School Nurse has the responsibility of caring for the students when minor and serious accidents occur and when illness occurs during the school day. She tries to help the child lead a normal, healthy school life so that each child can achieve the most from his educational opportunity. An effective health program is the result of the combined efforts of the school physician, nurse, teachers and parents.

The immunization clinic provided the following:

- 26 Tetanus — Diphtheria Booster — Grade 10
- 21 Mumps Vaccine — Grade 7
- 150 Tuberculin Tine Test — Grades 1 and 9
- 70 Mantoux test — Employees

Annual physical examinations are given by Dr. John Lewis, the School Physician, to all students who participate in competitive sports. Routine examinations are given in grades four, seven and ten. A total of 379 students were seen.

The Future Nurses Club participates in various health programs and clinics conducted in the Community and within the school. They look forward to working at the Blood-mobile. A field trip was made to Brockton City Hospital.

Two pre-school clinics were held with the Public Health Nurse and Dr. Charles Gleason, with forty-five children attending. The following immunizations were given:

- 3 Triple Antigen (D.P.T.)
- 16 Diphtheria — Tetanus (D.T.)
- 3 Rubella Vaccine



- 18 Polio Vaccine
- 6 Triple (Measles, Rubella, Mumps)
- 7 Mumps
- 2 Rubella — Measles Vaccine
- 18 Tine Test

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the parents, the administration and faculty, the School Physician and all those who have helped me in my position as School Nurse. It is with this help and cooperation that we are able to insure the general well being and good health of all the students.

Respectfully submitted,

JANET E. DAVIS, R.N.  
School Nurse

## **KINDERGARTEN UNDERAGE ADMISSION POLICY AND PROCEDURES 1/22/75**

Sufficient space, facilities, materials and personnel must be available before any underage children are accepted.

### **Requirements:**

1. The Child should be at least 4 years, 4 months old by September 1 of the year of entry (currently 4 years, 8 months).
2. Parents must confer with the principal, school psychologist and teachers prior to the child's entry.
3. It must be understood by the parents that the child may be discontinued from the program if, after a reasonable trial period, the teacher(s) and psychologist find it in some way damaging for the child to continue in the Kindergarten program.
4. The child must successfully pass a battery of readiness tests and a psychological evaluation. Social and emotional maturity must also be taken into account. He must be recommended for entrance by a team including the reading coordinator, Kindergarten teacher and school psychologist. The decision of the evaluating team will be final.

### **Procedures:**

1. Parents should make application for early entrance through the school principal. A conference is held.
2. The child is evaluated by the school psychologist, reading specialist, and any other specialists or professionals whose evaluation is deemed necessary.
3. The team meets and makes a recommendation.
4. A conference is held with the parents of the child and the school principal. The school psychologist and others involved as necessary.
5. A check on the child's progress is made by the principal and school psychologist two months after the child enters the program.

## HENRY T. WING SCHOOL

## Combined Boys and Girls Membership Age-Grade Table

October 1, 1975

Grades -	Age	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Totals
Boys K		9	43	3													55
Girls K		10	31														41
Boys 1			11	50	3												64
Girls 1			8	43													51
Boys 2				6	43	4	1										54
Girls 2					9	40											49
Boys 3					10	47	5										62
Girls 3					7	46	4										57
Boys 4						9	43	4	2								58
Girls 4						4	34										38
Boys 5							8	41	9								58
Girls 5							6	43	1	1							51
Boys 6								5	44	3		2					54
Girls 6								12	56	3	1						72
Boys 7									10	35	8						53
Girls 7									7	45	5						57
Boys 8										4	42	9					55
Girls 8										5	52	2					59
Boys 9																	54
Girls 9										1	6	42	5	2	1		56

Combined Boys and Girls Membership Age-Grade Table—Continued

Grades - Age	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Totals
Boys 10											5	35	6			46
Girls 10											12	38	4			54
Boys 11												8	33	11		52
Girls 11												12	30	5	1	48
Boys 12													5	40	3	48
Girls 12													8	36	8	52
Boys Totals	9	54	59	56	60	57	50	65	42	54	56	50	46	52	3	713
Girls Totals	10	39	52	47	50	44	55	64	55	64	56	55	44	41	9	685
Grand Totals	19	93	111	103	110	101	105	129	97	118	112	105	90	93	12	1398



**FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
JUNE 30, 1975**

		Budget	Expenditures From:
		1974-1975	P.L. #874 Town Approp.
1000	Administration	\$38,374.	
	(trans. from 2000 acct)	20,000.	
		58,374.	\$62,838.33
1100	School Comm. Exp.	2,055.	2,610.61
1200	Supt. Office Salaries	51,674.	51,460.15
	Supt. Office Expense	2,625.	6,836.88
	Supt. Travel Expense	1,820.	1,730.69
	School Census	200.	200.00
2000	Instruction	\$1,430,354.	
	(trans. to 1000 acct.)	20,000.	
	(trans. to 3000 acct.)	4,000.	
		1,406,354.	1,370,453.39
2200	Prin. Office Salaries	\$103,814.	101,351.35
	Prin. Office Expense	8,600.	12,255.76
	Prin. Off. Other Expense	15,347.	10,810.66
2300	Teaching Salaries	1,038,535.	994,642.47
	Teacher Aide Salaries	30,622.	23,824.25
	Tuition, Graduate Study	1,250.	1,267.50
	Telephone Monitor System	300.	
	Professional Improvement	7,700.	1,168.08
	Tutoring/Handicapped	1,200.	144.00
	Teaching Supplies	58,200.	106,433.41
2400	Textbooks	25,200.	27,573.99
2500	Libraries	47,785.	37,900.28
2700	Guidance	37,605.	40,831.48
2800	Psychological Services	30,196.	12,250.16
3000	Other School Services	\$225,053.	
	(trans. from 2000 acct.)	4,000.	
		229,053.	169,268.95
3100	Attendance Officer	4,000.	3,270.00
3200	Health Services	11,450.	9,900.28
3300	Transportation	161,578.	110,779.87
3400	Food Services	16,000.	14,651.91
3500	Athletics	36,025.	30,666.89
4000	Operation and Maintenance	171,144.	216,080.35
4100	Janitor Service	69,185.	100,485.21
	Janitor Supplies	4,000.	8,262.43
	Misc. Operating Expense	1,500.	2,994.88
4120	Fuel	26,850.	32,308.95
4130	Utilities	32,860.	43,469.93
4210	Maintenance/Sch. Grounds	15,569.	17,110.09
4220	Maintenance/Sch. Buildings	13,500.	3,684.69

## Financial Statement (Cont.)

		Expenditures From:	
		Budget	Town
		1974-1975	P.L. #874 Approp.
4230	Maintenance/Equipment	5,200.	7,449.17
4240	Replacement of Equipment	2,480.	315.00
5000	<b>Fixed Charges</b>	\$5,650.	7,767.25
5200	Insurance	3,250.	5,367.25
	Rental of Facilities	2,400.	2,400.00
6000	<b>Community Services</b>	\$5,450.	\$4,801.80
	Adult Education	2,600.	2,545.40
	Saturday Morning Sports	750.	995.40
	Summer School (Music)	800.	
	Mental Health Assessment	1,300.	1,261.00
7000	<b>Acquisition of Equipment</b>	\$1,610.	\$15,240.66
9000	<b>Programs/Other Schools</b>	\$12,700.	\$5,122.54
<b>Totals:</b>		<u>\$1,890,335.</u>	<u>\$2,084.48</u> <u>\$1,851,573.27</u>
Total School Budget		\$1,890,335.00	
Total Expenditures		1,853,657.75	
Budget Balance		\$ 36,677.25	
Town Appropriation		\$1,873,055.00	
Expenditures		1,851,573.27	
Balance		\$ 21,381.73	
P.L. #874 Funds Applied			\$17,280.00
Expenditures			2,084.48
Balance			\$15,195.52
P.L. #874 Available and not applied			24,616.02
P.L. #874 Receipts			6,185.00
P.L. #874 Funds Available, June 30, 1975			\$45,996.54

# COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Class of 1975

SANDWICH HIGH SCHOOL

of the

Henry T. Wing School

at

HERITAGE PLANTATION

of

Sandwich, Massachusetts

June 6, 1975

6:30 p.m.

## 1975 COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

PRELUDE	Overture in B Flat"
PROCESSIONAL	"Pomp and Circumstance"
*INVOCATION	The Reverend Denis B. Sughrue, C.S.C.
WELCOME ADDRESS	Gayle Robin Elvander
HONOR ESSAY	Judy Karen Hendy
CHORUS SELECTIONS	"No Man is an Island"
	Joan Whitney
	Alex Kramer
	"Battle Hymn of the Republic"
	William Steefe
	Russell Watson
	"I'll Always Remember"
CLASS GIFT	Gayle Robin Elvander
HONOR ESSAY	Vella C. Pola
HONOR ESSAY	James Richard Cervantes
AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES	
	Mr. Joseph Kudera, Sandwich School Committee
THE CLASS OF "75"	Steven Wayne Putnam
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS	
	Dr. Anthony D'Antuono, Superintendent
*ALMA MATER	Senior Class, Chorus, and Audience
*BENEDICTION	The Reverend John H. Thomas
*RECESSIONAL	Military Escort
Special Guests —	Jennifer Johnson and Kevin McLaughlin
	* Audience Standing



**CLASS OF 1975**

\*National Honor Society

†Salutatorian

## ##Valedictorian

**CLASS MOTTO**

"We know nothing of tomorrow  
our business is to be good and happy today."

**CLASS COLORS**

Blue and Gold

**CLASS FLOWER**

Poppy

**ALMA MATER**

High on the hill o'er looking fields and marshes  
Proud stands our school clad in its verdant ivy.  
Her high ideals we follow on in pride;  
Her triumphs ring forever more.  
Our love we give to thee, O Alma Mater;  
We join our hands to sing praise to thee.

O radiant flame that burns the lamp of learning  
A light so bright that shines for all to see.  
Your Colors lead us ever through the years;  
Once more we pledge our love to thee.  
We'll ne'er forget, beloved Alma Mater,  
Our years with thee upon the hill.

**LYRICS**

Mrs. Nan R. McCann  
Mr. Lawrence A. Ovian

**MUSIC**

Jean Sibellus  
"Finlandia"

**CLASS OFFICERS**

President	Gayle R. Elvander
Vice President	Donald P. Miskovsky
Secretary	Judy K. Hendy
Treasurer	Lise J. Caron

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

June 6, 1975

### Faunce Scholarship

The Faunce Scholarship has been awarded to four members of the Senior Class:

DOUGLAS BARROWS, RICHARD HARRISON, SUSAN JAMES and DENNIS PARKER.

Mr. Burrows will attend Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

Mr. Harrison will attend the University of Rhode Island.

Miss James will attend the University of Missouri

Mr. Parker will attend Suffolk University.

### Cape Cod Bank and Trust Scholarship

This Scholarship is presented to a member of the Senior Class in the community they serve: PETER ZENTZ

Mr. Zentz will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

### Hannah B. Belcher Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to two members of the Senior Class: VELIA POLA and KYE BRODERSON

Miss Pola will attend Middlebury College in Vermont.

Miss Broderon will attend Cape Cod Community College.

### Harold Irving Smith Scholarship

Given by his daughter Mrs. Albert Keith—to an outstanding student in the field of Art and/or Music: RON-ALD OLSON.

Mr. Olson will attend Berkshire Community College.

### Sandwich Arts and Crafts Association Scholarship

Presented to a student who is furthering his or her education in Art: MARY LOU STOLL.

Miss Stoll will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

### George S. Wing Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is presented to seven worthy students: DONNA McLAUGHLIN, WILLIAM TAYLOR II, WAYNE KING, RUTH CONDON, LORRAINE PAMBUKO, MARGARET CONITZ and MARIE HOGAN.

Mr. Taylor will attend Norwich University. Miss McLaughlin, Mr. King, Miss Condon, Miss Pambuko, Miss Conitz and Miss Hogan will all attend Cape Cod Community College.



### **Sandwich Teachers Association Scholarship**

Presented to two worthy Seniors: EDWARD SAWYER JR. and WILLIAM LAMB JR.

Mr. Sawyer will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

Mr. Lamb will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

### **Sandwich High School Association Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to four outstanding students: JAMES CERVANTES, MARK HAMLEN, DAPHNE POPE and JAN SODERBERG.

Mr. Cervantes will attend Harvard University.

Mr. Hamlen will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

Miss Pope will attend Boston University.

Miss Soderberg will attend Brandeis University.

### **Sandwich Health Association Scholarship**

Presented to two students who plan to further their education in the Medical Field: KATHRYN SMALL and STEVEN PUTNAM.

Miss Small will attend Colby College.

Mr. Putnam will attend Massachusetts College of Pharmacy.

### **Sandwich Junior Women's Club**

The Sandwich Junior Women's Club Scholarship is to be granted to a member of the graduating class who will continue his or her education for at least a period of two years as a full time student in an accepted or recognized institution of higher learning: JAMES CERVANTES and DAPHNE POPE.

### **Sandwich Men's Club Scholarship**

Presented to two worthy students who are also outstanding citizens of the community: CYNTHIA OSGOOD and DAPHNE POPE.

Miss Osgood will attend Cape Cod Community College.

### **Lion's Club Scholarship**

Presented to two deserving Seniors: GAYLE ELVANDER and RONALD OLSON.

Miss Elvander will attend Cape Cod Community College.



**Sandwich Women's Club Mary Howland Wing Scholarship**

Presented to two worthy students by the Sandwich Women's Club: SHERYL McMAHON and WENDY TITCOMB.

Miss McMahon will attend Worcester State College.

Miss Titcomb will attend Boston University.

**Mary Baker Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to worthy students: JANE TAYLOR, MARK HAMLEN, DAVID DINKLAGE, GERALD DECONTO, KENNETH HAWES, JAN SODERBERG, WALTER BURKE, BETSY LANE, DIANA EVANS, MARY LOU STOLL, LISE CARON, JUDY HENDY, DENNIS O'CONNELL, PETER HOWELL, MARYBETH DIPIETRO, PAUL DENNEY, JR. MARY ELLEN KUDERA, PAUL MISKOVSKY, CATHERINE DEFELICE, CYNTHIA OSGOOD and ARTHUR O'BRIEN.

Miss Taylor will attend Bridgewater State College.

Mr. Dinklage will attend Harvard University.

Mr. DeConto will attend the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Mr. Hawes will attend the United States Military Academy at West Point.

Miss Lane will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Miss Evans will attend Zion Bible Institute.

Mr. Burke will attend Maine Vocational-Technical Institute.

Miss Stoll will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

Miss Caron will attend Endicott Junior College.

Miss Hendy will attend Bates College.

Mr. O'Connell will attend Bryant College.

Mr. Howell will attend Northeastern University.

Miss DIPIETRO will attend Bay State Junior College.

Mr. Denney will attend Salem State College.

Miss Kudera will attend St. Francis Xavier College.

Mr. Miskovsky will attend New England College.

Mr. O'Brien will attend the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

**Alvin W. Holway**

This scholarship is presented to three worthy students: DEBRA MCLAUGHLIN, JONATHAN PHILLIPS and KRISTINE JOHNSON.

Miss McLaughlin will attend Cape Cod Community College.

Mr. Phillips will attend Cape Cod Community College.  
Miss Johnson will attend Green Mountain College.

**Elizabeth T. Vanbuskirk Memorial Scholarship**

Presented by the Vanbuskirk family to a student who is going on in the field of Medicine: STEVEN PUTNAM.

**David W. Allen Jr. Memorial Scholarship Award**

Presented to a student whose interest include Band or Hockey: MARK HAMLEN.

**Chamberlain Scholarship**

This scholarship is presented to: VICTORIA BIGGERS.  
Miss Biggers will attend Colby-Sawyer College.

**John F. Clayton Scholarship**

Presented to a worthy student: JUDY HENDY.

**George T. Meigs Scholarship**

Presented to a student who is entering the field of Pharmacy: STEVEN PUTNAM.

**Thornton W. Burgess Scholarship**

Awarded to a Sandwich High School graduate desiring to pursue a career in the Life Sciences: ARTHUR O'BRIEN.

**Bishop Daniel F. Feehan Council Knights of Colombus**

Presented to: DIANA FALCONEIRI.  
Miss Falconeiri will attend Cape Cod Community College.

**The James H. Sibsins "Award for Excellence in Athletics"**

GERALD DECONTO

**Merit Scholar:**

JAMES CERVANTES.

**Letters of Commendation:**

DAVID DINKLAGE, VELIA POLA, KATHRYN SMALL,  
WENDY TITCOMB.

**AWARDS**

**D.A.R. Good Citizen Award**

Presented to: JUDY HENDY

**Bausch and Lomb**

Awarded for proficiency in Science: GERALD DECONTO.

**The Muriel S. Torrey Award for Community Service**

A memorial award for good citizenship presented by the Church Circle of the First Church of Christ: GALE ELVANDER.

**Balfour Key**

Presented to: JAMES CERVANTES

**Sandwich Policemens Association and Police Wives Association Award**

Presented to: GAYLE ELVANDER

**U. S. History Medal**

Presented for Excellence in History: JAMES CERVANTES. James not only received A's in all History courses at the High School level, he also received a perfect score in the U.S. History Achievement test given by the college board.

**The Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow Award**

Presented to: SHERYL MCMAHON

**Sandwich Arts and Crafts Association Award**

Presented to: JANE TAYLOR and JOSEPH SEABURY, Jr.

**National Award Winners in the 45th Annual, 1975 Scholastic Art Awards competition are to receive a Certificate of Merit for National Achievement in Art.**

We are honored to present these to: JOSEPH SEABURY, JR. — Woodworking and STEVEN MARTIN — Woodworking and Metalworking.



## FACULTY—SANDWICH JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

1975

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service in Sandwich
John J. Chisholm	Principal	Boston Col., A.B., Boston State, M.Ed.	1973
Morris G. Frank	Assistant Principal	Univ. of Conn., Central Conn. State Col., Southern Conn. State Col., B.A., MS 6th year	1975
Dolores Bush	Guidance	Anna Maria Col., B.A., Assumption Col., M.A.	1974
R. Theodore Steinhilber	Guidance	Suffolk Univ., B.S. M.A.	1971
Otto Schleicher	A/V Director	Boston University, B.B.A.	1964
James J. Campbell	Chairman, Science Dept.	Mass. Col. of Pharmacy, B.S., Colby Col., M.S.T.	1973
William Doyle	Chairman, Social Studies	Bridgewater State Col., B.S. in Ed.	1962
John Halvorson	Chairman Art & Ind. Arts	Wesleyan Univ., Boston Univ., B.A.	1970
Thomas E. Jaillet	Chairman, Math & Bus. Dept.	Fitchburg State Col., B.S.Ed., Boston Col., M.A.	1973
Maryclaire Mulcahy	Chairman, Foreign Lang.	Bridgewater State Col., B.S. Boston Univ., M.Ed.	1966
Theodora Ringer	Chairman, English Dept.	Middlebury Col., B.A., Harvard Col., M.A.T., M.A.	1973
Robert Woodbury	Director of Athletics	Univ. of Maine, B.S. & M.Ed.	1974
David Adams	Business Education	Univ. of Tennessee, B.S.	1974
Eugene A. Ash, Jr.	Distributive Education	Salem State Col., B.S.	1968
Roger Bergen	Industrial Arts	Boston Univ., B.A., Rhode Island School of Design, M.A.	1973
Marite Burns	Art	Univ. of Conn., B.A., Bridgewater State, M.A.T.	1975
Deborah Clum	Physical Education	Springfield Col., B.S.	1975
Joan Coggeshall	Music	B.U. Jr. Col., A.A., N.E. Cons. of Music, B.M.	1972
Grace Day	School Psychologist	Montclair College, B.A. & M.A.	1973
Beatrice DeLacy	Mathematics	Hunter College, B.A., M.A.	1975
Alice W. Douglas	Librarian	Rutgers Univ., A.B., Case-Western Reserve Univ., M.S.L.	1973
Thomas Eagar	Reading—Latin	St. Columban's Col., B.A., Boston State Col., M.A.	1970
William Earle	Physical Education	University of Mass., B.S.	1972
Harry D. Evans III	English	Castleton State College, B.S.	1971
Constance L. Farley	Business Education	Emmanuel, B.S., Boston Col., M.Ed.	1975
Robert A. Fenton	Social Studies	Pennsylvania State Univ., B.S.	1963



## FACULTY—Sandwich Junior-Senior High School (Cont.)

Edward Giardino, Jr.	Social Studies	Loyola University, Montreal, B.A.	1970
Virginia Halloren	Co-ordinator of Special Needs	Assumption, B.A., Worcester State, M.Ed.	1975
Barbara Harriman	Physical Education	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969
R. Edward Heywood, Jr.	Music	Lowell State Col., B. of Music Education	1970
Robert Hickey	Science	University of Maine, B.S. & M.Ed.	1974
Edward Hoxie	Social Studies	Suffolk University, B.A. & M.A.	1971
Mary Huff	Business Education	Salem State Teachers Col., B.S.	1964
Robert Inman	Social Studies	Salem State Teachers Col., B.A.	1970
Barbara Jones	Home Economics	Indiana Univ. of Pennsylvania, B.S.	1975
Janet Kirsch	Learning Disabilities	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1974
Benjamin J. Losordo, Jr.	Mathematics	Harvard College, B.A.	1973
James F. Murphy	English	Boston College, B.S., M.A.	1973
Marie Murphy	Foreign Languages	Emmanuel Col., B.A., Sorbonne, M.A.	1974
William F. Naylor	Mathematics	Marietta College, B.S.	1971
David O'Hara	Science	Ohio Northern University, B.A.	1974
Ann Palmer	English	Boston University, B.S.	1970
Sylvia Phillips	Science	West Liberty College, B.S.	1968
Jean C. Richards	Caf. Dir. & Home Economics	Cornell University, B.S.	1974
William Sangster	Health	University of Massachusetts, B.S.	1974
Roger Savino	Industrial Arts	Upsala College, B.A.	1974
Janet Semonian	English	Colby College, B.A.	1974
Ruth D. Sherman	Science	University of Maine, B.S.	1975
Bruce Stanford	English	University of Mass., B.A.	1964
Thomas E. Taylor	Social Studies	Norwich University, B.A.	1975
Silvio Tedeschi	Spanish	Lyndon St. College, B.S.	1973
Robert M. Thompson	Science	American International, B.A., M.Ed., M.S.	1974
Winthrop Trenholm	Mathematics	Old Dominion Col., B.A.	1968
Gretchen Webster	English	Bradley University, B.S.	1969
Edwin Zion	Mathematics	Bridgewater State Col., B.S. & M.Ed.	1948
Joan DiPersio	Library Aide	Bridgewater State College	1975
Sandra W. Feeley	Reading Instructional Aide	Stonehill Col., B.A., Bridgewater State, M.Ed.	1975

## HENRY T. WING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACULTY—1975-1976

Name	Subject	Education	Began Service In Sandwich
James G. Dolan	Principal	Northeastern University, B.S., Bridgewater State College, Ed.M.	1960
Edmund D. Twomey	Asst. Principal	Boston University, B.S., Ed.M.	1973
Joan C. Belliveau	Grade 6	Curry College, B.S.	1971
Donald O. McCulloch	Grade 6	University of Nebraska, Omaha, B.G.E., Bridgewater State College, M.Ed., Reading	1972
Douglas A. Jenkins	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, B.S. Ed. Education	1975
Mary E. Winings	Grade 6	Univ. of Illinois, B.S., Bradley Univ., M.S.	1969
John D. Mulkeen	Grade 5	Bridgewater State College, B.S. in Education	1975
Mary Beth Dunphe	Grade 5	Framingham State College, B.A.	1968
Kathleen M. Markt	Grade 5	Regis College, B.A.	1973
Priscilla C. Stoll	Grade 5	Ursula College, A.B.	1964
Mary C. Celata	Grade 4	Boston Univ., A.B. Bridgewater State, Ed.M.	1969
Sharon A. Durhan	Grade 4	University of Kentucky, B.A.	1974
Linda W. Robbins	Grade 4	University of Maryland, B.S.	1972
Joyce A. Howard	Grade 4	State Univ. College of Education, Geneseo, N.Y., B.S. in Education	1975
Virginia E. Lewis	Grade 3	Franklin College, B.A.	1972
Carol G. McGrall	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1974
Pamela J. Santino	Grade 3	Boston State College, B.S.	1969
R. Naomi White	Grade 3	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S., Ed.M.	1961
Nora M. Bianchi	Grade 2	Hyannis State Teachers College, B.S.	1942
Linda J. Hart	Grade 2	Framingham State College, B.S.	1972
Christine M. Richard	Grade 2	North Adams State College, B.S.	1969
Susan J. Smith	Grade 2	Boston College, Chestnut Hill, B.A.	1975
Marianne Bradley-Franklin	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1974
Sally S. Campbell	Grade 1	State University College, Oswego, N.Y., B.S.	1973
Judith A. Gaylord	Grade 1	Framingham State College, B.S.	1972
Karen M. Milkey	Grade 1	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1973
Ann E. Hamlen	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S.	1967
Donna L. Sweetman	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1975

# HENRY T. WING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FACULTY—1975-1976

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Began Service  
in Sandwich

Name

Subject

Education

Susan I. Andrade  
Grace C. Day  
Margaret W. Gill  
Virginia A. Halloran  
Christina Jacobi  
Donald Long  
Kathleen McGonagle  
Marylou Q. McLean  
Ann M. McSweeney  
Katherine K. Mone  
K. Maurine Smith  
Marjorie Collins  
Jane P. Ferrick  
Jeanne Fuller  
Mary C. MacDonald  
Frances S. Fairnemy  
Priscilla S. Hillman  
Barbara A. Lantery  
Linda J. McArdle  
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